

GUTHERY APPOINTS SANDUSKY MAN

FEAR POLITICS TO EMBROIL LEGION

COMMANDER PLANS NO ACTION PENDING NOVEMBER MEETING

Does Not Consider Prohibition Vote Mandate To Him

DETROIT, Sept. 25.—The American Legion's attack on the eighteenth amendment, with a suggestion for a prohibition referendum by the states, provoked a drive among its leaders today to keep the soldier organization of 1,100,000 veterans out of the national political arena.

The new Legion administration, headed by the youthful Henry L. Stevens, of North Carolina, will take no action whatever on the wet and dry issue, it was learned, until a meeting of its executive committee in Indianapolis in November. Then, it may be decided that the Legion has merely expressed an "opinion" about the dry law without requiring political activity to secure adoption of its recommendation.

Stevens, a staunch dry from North Carolina, told International News Service he would take no steps toward securing a referendum unless the executive committee—representing every Legion department in the Union—ordered action at the November session.

"I regard the convention's action on prohibition as an expression of its conviction on that subject," Stevens said, "but I do not believe the resolution adopted was intended as a mandate to me to seek its adoption in congress. That is my personal opinion but I shall be guided entirely by the decision of the executive committee at its meeting in November."

Leaders of the Legion were deeply concerned by the convention's overwhelming opposition to prohibition. They feared the organization might become involved in the battle for repeal of the eighteenth amendment or modification of the Volstead act to the detriment of legislation affecting care of the disabled, widows and orphans and pensions. Unless the wet can muster control of the executive committee it appeared likely the convention's declaration would be interpreted merely as the expression of its sympathies, requiring no future legislative activity by the organization.

A study of the convention's vote meanwhile revealed tremendous wet sentiment among veterans from states always regarded as

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WOMAN KILLED WHEN AUTO IS WRECKED



Details of a plot to kidnap the three children of Mrs. Gladys Bergin, above, wealthy Los Angeles widow, have been revealed by District Attorney Fitts. He believes the kidnappers to be connected with the former Arno Rothstein gang in New York, and that they are attempting to intimidate Mrs. Bergin into paying them between \$50,000 and \$75,000. Her husband is alleged to have lost that sum while rolling dice with professional gamblers in New York, but refused to pay off when he realized he had been "framed."

JAPS SEIZING RAIL STATIONS

PEIPING, Sept. 25.—Further seizure by Japanese troops of stations on the Peiping-Mukden railway was charged today by Marshal Chang Hsueh-Liang, governor of Manchuria.

The governor transmitted a report on the situation to Dr. Alfred Sze, Chinese delegate at Geneva, asking that another protest be made to the league of nations.

HONG KONG, Sept. 25.—Police riot squads patrolled the principal streets here today as Chinese mobs roamed about the city wrecking Japanese stores and throwing the goods into the harbor.

Several clashes occurred between the Chinese and police.

Japanese were urged to remain indoors until the outbreaks subsided.

WAGE REDUCTIONS DEPLORED BY DOAK

PROVIDENCE, R. I. Sept. 25.—"It is deplorable."

That was the comment of Secretary of Labor William N. Doak today on the reduction in wages announced by large steel corporations and in other industries. He added, however, that "apparently it could not be avoided."

He refused to make any prediction as to whether a general wage reduction was likely to be put into effect in the near future, but asserted that a slight increase in employment in basic industries had been ascertained by his department at the present time.

FAMILY FLEES FROM BARNESVILLE FIRE

BARNESVILLE, O. Sept. 25.—Losing all their clothing and furniture, Joseph Johnson his wife and their son Earl, had a narrow escape from death today when a \$10,000 fire destroyed two stories beneath their apartment.

The fire broke out in the center of the business district and the fire department fought the blaze two hours to prevent it spreading to adjoining property.

TEXAS CHALLENGES AIMEE

La Guinan Would Debate Much-Married Evangelist To Help Jobless

MARLBORO, Mass., Sept. 25.—Texas Guinan today had challenged Aimee Semple McPherson-Hutton to a debate in Boston Garden.

Interrupting her "Too Hot For Paris" revue at a local ball room last night, the New York night club "queen" offered to debate with the Los Angeles woman evangelist the question:

"Resolved, that people are entitled to a bit of fun and happiness in these troublous times."

RECEIVES THREATS



XENIA COMPANY LOW BIDDER BUT DENIED BUSINESS IS SHOWN

Highway Department referred to Pay Higher Prices

A Xenia business firm, from which the highway department bought \$2,912 worth of tires in 1930, was drawn indirectly Thursday into the investigation of the state highway department by a special Senate committee at Columbus.

A charge that the state of Ohio had lost thousands of dollars because of "discrimination and favoritism" on the part of state highway department officials in awarding contracts for tires and asphalt paving materials in 1929 and 1930, while Robert N. Wade was highway director, was made by C. R. Bowen, Cincinnati accountant, a special investigator for the committee.

Claim was made by Bowen that the department bought tires from the Xenia Vulcanizing Co., this city, at one price and on the same day purchased the same kind and size tires from the General Tire and Rubber Co., Akron, paying the latter concern \$15 more per tire. In the 1930 records, he testified, the department paid \$4,786 for tires to the Akron firm, despite the fact the same kind of tires could have been bought from the Xenia company at from \$9.34 to \$15.61 less per tire. He added that the Xenia firm had been awarded a contract at the same time for \$2,912 worth of tires.

Bowen presented affidavits of Ralph O. Wead and John Kohlwead, now cashier of the Xenia National Bank, was formerly a deputy auditor of state. He is financially interested in the Xenia tire distributing company.

Before accepting appointment to the state position, and while still serving as auditor of Greene County, Wead was said to have gone to Columbus to ascertain why his company did not obtain business. His affidavit disclosed his firm offered tires lower in price than the same quality offered by the headquarters of the manufacturer which his concern represented.

The difference was about \$15 a tire on two sizes and \$4 a tire on another size. Fred B. Simshauser, Newark, was head of the purchasing department at that time.

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DEACON DEFIES ZION LEADER

ZION CITY, Ill., Sept. 25.—Dissension threatened the religious colony here today as the result of a vociferous outburst in the huge tabernacle against Wilbur Glenn Voliva, ruler of Zion City.

Consternation was created amid the 1,000 worshippers in the tabernacle when Deacon Theodore Forby arose during services and defied the famed cult leader, who is most noted for his theory that the world is flat.

"I'll expose you," the deacon shouted after uttering several charges against Voliva.

The ruler responded with the threat to disown Zion City's Municipal Court and thus take Deacon Forby's position of judge away from him.

JACK PICKFORD ILL
BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., Sept. 25.—Slight improvement was noted today in the condition of Jack Pickford, former film star and brother of Mary Pickford. Dr. Carl Lewis, however, announced Pickford was still seriously ill as the result of a severe cold contracted several weeks ago.

REPORTER SOLVES IT



BIG BUSINESS WILL FIGHT ANTI-TRUST LAWS IN CONGRESS

Will Seek Changes As
Emergency Plan Is
Believed

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Big business apparently had a well-organized campaign under way today to bring about modification—or suspension, if possible—of the anti-trust laws.

Unusual needs arising out of the world depression will be the lever with which the giants of industry will try to move congress into action at the coming session. It will be asked as emergency legislation.

Within the last forty-eight hours, President Hoover has been memorialized twice to use his influence in bringing about a lightening of the Sherman and Clayton acts, which were adopted to protect the public from huge combines likely to restrain competitive trade and drive prices upward.

With such an auspicious start, it was considered inevitable that a powerful lobby would be at work when the legislators assemble in December.

The steel interests, as represented by Charles F. Abbott, executive director of the American Institute of Steel construction, petitioned Mr. Hoover for complete suspension of the trust laws "during this period of emergency." Representatives of the nineteen building trades organizations comprising the Construction League of the United States called at the White House in a body and suggested their modification "would be highly desirable."

In both instances, the appeal was based on a line of reasoning which the President himself had offered to congress in his last message—that is, that unfortunate wastes and destructive uses of natural resources are being forced by the workings of the laws. Mr. Hoover's message read:

"I recommend that the congress institute an inquiry into some of the aspects of the economic workings of these (anti-trust) laws. I do not favor repeal of the Sherman act. The prevention of monopolies is of most vital public importance. Competition is not only the basis of protection to the consumer but is the incentive to progress. However, the interpretation of these laws by the courts, the changes in business, especially in the economic effects upon those enterprises closely related to the use of the natural resources of the country, make such an inquiry advisable. The producers of these materials assert that certain unfortunate results of wasteful and destructive use of these natural resources, together with a destructive competition which impoverishes both operator and worker can not be remedied because of the prohibitive interpretation of the anti-trust laws."

Gerald Swope, president of the General Electric Co., brought forward several days ago a complex plan for meeting the economic depression which had particular reference to control of industrial production, especially in reference to the natural resource industries such as coal, lumber, iron, copper, and petroleum. There is a general feeling the trust laws will have to be modified to permit its adoption.

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The second flight, which was taken for the purpose of testing the ship's ability to ascend and descend, lasted just three minutes longer than the initial hop, and ended at 10:44 p.m.

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Xenia Music Club To Open Season On October 6

OPENING with an evening meeting October 6 when members of the Dayton Music Club present a program members of the Xenia Woman's Music Club are looking forward to an interesting series of meetings for the club year 1931-32. The programs are divided between afternoon and evening with the afternoon meetings starting at 2:30 o'clock and the evening programs at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Alice R. Ruthrauff, N. King St., will be hostess at the opening meeting when the Dayton Club presents its program here.

Miss Lois Street, delegate from the local club to the biennial convention of the National Federation of Music Clubs in San Francisco this summer, will give a report of that meeting when the club meets at the home of Mrs. W. H. McGeevey on the afternoon of October 26. Colonial, early and modern music will be the subject of the program with Miss Marjorie Street as leader. The program will be presented by the first division.

The November meeting of the club will be held at the Presbyter-

LUTHER LEAGUE ELECTS OFFICERS

Mr. Archer Maxwell was elected president of the Luther League of the First Lutheran Church at a business meeting in connection with a wiener roast at the Voorees' picnic grounds, Fairground Road, Monday evening. Other officers elected were Miss Henrietta Fudge, vice president; Richard Huffman, secretary; Miss Phyllis Mellage, treasurer and Miss Mary Maxwell, corresponding secretary.

The following committees were appointed by the executive committee at a meeting at the home of Mr. Maxwell Wednesday evening: social, Misses Henrietta Fudge, Marjorie Shoemaker, Margaret Bone and Mr. Ralph Nichols; membership, the Misses Alice Gordon and Helen Nichols and Mr. J. F. Molitor; flower and sick committee, the Misses Evelyn Nichols, Katherine Maxwell and Pearl Nichols.

The opening devotional meeting will be held Sunday, October 4, with the president as leader.

VILLARS-LYONS NUPTIALS SOLEMNIZED

In a quiet ceremony performed at the parsonage of the Church of Christ, Wilmington, Miss. Betty Lyons, this city, was united in marriage to Mr. Roger Villars, Wilmington, Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock. The marriage was performed by the Rev. A. H. Williams and there were no attendants. The bride wore an ensemble of chocolate brown satin with egg shell satin blouse and accessories were brown. Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Villars left by motor for a wedding trip but did not reveal their destination.

Mr. Villars is the son of Prof. and Mrs. J. O. Villars, Wilmington. He is a graduate of Wilmington High School and of Wilmington College. He is a member of Sigma Zeta fraternity. Mrs. Villars has been employed at Geyer's, this city. The couple will reside in Wilmington where Mr. Villars is in the insurance business.

ANNUAL W. C. T. U. CONVENTION TUESDAY

The annual convention of the Greene County W. C. T. U. will be held Tuesday at the First Baptist Church. The morning session will be devoted to the reading of reports and recommendations and there will be election of officers and trustees. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

The main feature of the afternoon will be a pageant depicting the history of the W. C. T. U. from the time of its early crusade. The pageant will be presented in costume. Preceding the pageant Mrs. Carrie Flatter, county president, will give her annual address. Persons who are not members of the organization but are interested in the program are invited to the meeting.

PROMINENT DRUGGIST OF CINCINNATI LAUDS TON-GEÉ FORMULA



M A R K E T
At Gegners Meat Store
Given By Group 5 Of
Ladies Aid Society of
First M. E. Church
Saturday Morning at
9:00 o'clock

BLUE RIBBON CLASS
U. B. CHURCH
Will Have A
Market At Fisher's
Meat Store
Saturday, Sept. 26
Cakes, Pies, Chicken
Noodles.

Relatives here have received announcements of the birth of a son to Dr. and Mrs. Foy R. Trout, Denver, Colo., September 8. The baby has been named Robert Willard. Dr. Trout is a former Green Countian and practiced in James- town several years ago.

Mr. J. W. Faulkner and Mr. Melvin Swadener, Hill St., are spending this week in Lebanon and are acting as judges at the harness races at the Warren County Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Orbe Lute, S. Miami Ave., are announcing the birth of a son at their home Thursday night.

Mrs. Julia Molitor, 27 California St., is recovering at her home from a minor operation performed several days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Martin, N. Galloway St., will arrive home Friday evening after spending a week in northern Ohio and Michigan. They attended the national convention of the American Legion in Detroit and later visited friends in Cleveland and Akron.

A called meeting of the P.T.A. of Central High School will be held in Jean B. Elwell Auditorium Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Mrs. W. A. Meikle, Cincinnati, formerly of this city, spent Friday here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nash, S. Detroit St., have returned home after spending five weeks in Michigan and Canada.

Mr. John Prugh, N. Galloway St., left this week for Knoxville, Tenn., to resume his studies at the University of Tennessee where he will be a member of the junior class. His position at the Snider Drug Store has been taken by his brother, Mr. George Prugh.

Mrs. Charles Thompson (Marian Brickel), who underwent an operation at Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, recently, has been removed to her home on Gladys Ave.

All members of Obedient Council, No. 160, Daughters of America, are asked to meet at the Junior Hall promptly at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening. Members are asked to pay quarterly dues at this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arthur Kelly, Columbus, are visiting Mr. Kelly's mother, Mrs. Rachel J. Kelly, N. King St.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith (Thelma Phillips), N. Galloway St., are the parents of a son born Friday morning. The baby has been named Ralph Jr.

PUBLIC SALE

Saturday, Sept. 26, 1931
At 2 P. M. at my residence S. Columbus St.

JENNIE B. RADER,
Adm.
See Classified Ads.

PASTOR HONORED
AT FAREWELL PARTY.

The Rev. and Mrs. S. Russell Burkett, who are moving soon to Fountain City, Ind., were honored at a farewell party given by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Friends' Church Thursday evening. The party was held in the church basement and a covered dish dinner was served.

Games and stunts were enjoyed during the evening and the Rev. and Mrs. Burkett and son were each presented a gift. Miss Myrtle Morton, president of the society, gave a short talk on behalf of the society.

FORMER XENIAN'S MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Craig, Chestnut St., have received the announcement of the marriage of their son, Mr. Robert Craig, Salina, Kans., formerly of this city, to Miss Sarah Sellman, of Salina. Their marriage took place Saturday at the Presbyterian Church in Salina and the ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Jewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig are now at home at 901 E. Lincoln St., Salina. Mr. Craig is employed in a gasoline service station in that city.

ARRANGE SUPPER AS FAREWELL SURPRISE

For the pleasure of Mrs. Cecil Crawford, who is moving from Xenia soon, members of the choir of the Presbyterian Church, of which she is a member, arranged a surprise on her at her home on N. West St. Thursday evening. A covered dish supper was served and a social time with music and games followed the supper.

M A R K E T
At Gegners Meat Store
Given By Group 5 Of
Ladies Aid Society of
First M. E. Church
Saturday Morning at
9:00 o'clock

COFFEE SPECIALS
BOSCUL COFFEE
35c-3 for \$1.00
MAXWELL HOUSE
COFFEE
35c-3 for \$1.00
Fetz Brothers Fresh
Roasted — the best cof-
fee in the city.
20c to 50c lb.

FOR QUALITY AND SERVICE
PHONE 42 or 43

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YOUTH IN WOMEN'S CLOTHING SOUGHT; FRIGHTENS CHILDREN

Combing the woods and fields told of seeing the "woman."

Investigating, the teacher found a youth disguised as a woman. The female impersonator was described as having sandy hair and complexion and wearing a garment of dark cloth that resembled a night gown, which reached to his knees. He after failing to find a trace of the prowler.

After being upbraided by the school teacher, Frank Duncan, the youth broke away from the teacher's grasp and ran. Pursued by school boys, the fugitive disappeared in a thick clump of woods a short distance away.

Reaching the scene about fifteen minutes later the deputy sheriffs, assisted by school boys and a few neighbors, conducted an intensive but unsuccessful search of the vicinity.

They discovered a place in the woods where the young man apparently had been camping. Melons, cucumbers and scraps of food were scattered around the spot.

Three of the older girl pupils reported the presence of a strange appearing woman to the teacher at the noon recess. Mr. Duncan did not take the report seriously until several younger girls also

also wore rolled down hose and fancy shoes.

Two children, brother and sister, also reported having been frightened by appearance of the same youth while on their way to the Trebein school. They returned home Wednesday. They accompanied them back to school, but they saw no more of the man.

AMERICAN BEAUTIES FOR TURKISH HAREM

NEW YORK, Sept. 25—Twelve American beauties, flower and

pride of Ohio and New York State Farms, were to leave here today to be presented as a good-will gift to Mustapha Kemal Pasha, President of Turkey.

The herd, valued at \$60,000, is destined for Angora, where it will be used for inter-breeding with Turkish dairy cattle.

D. D. JONES --- Druggist JUBILEE OFFERINGS

50c LACRIN MILK OF CASTOR OIL TASTELESS	32c
1 PINT MERRILL'S COD LIVER OIL	69c
\$1.00 DEWITT'S DIURETIC FOR KIDNEYS	77c
50c HY-PURE DIGESTIVE TABLETS	39c
MEAD'S COD LIVER OIL	69c
\$1.00 EXTRACT OF SARSAPARILLA—BLOOD PURIFIER	74c
\$1.35 PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY	\$1.00
\$1.00 HY-PURE DIURETIC FOR KIDNEYS	79c
50c HY-PURE ARNICA AND WITCH HAZEL SALVE	39c

Men

50c Prep Shaving Cream	39c
\$1.00 Lucky Tiger Hair Tonic	73c
75c Three Flowers with powder sifter	63c
50c Fitch's Shaving Cream	29c
\$1.00 Alarm Clocks	89c
Handkerchiefs	10c

SPECIALS

35c Dr. Scholl's Corn Pads	29c
McK. R. Corn Remedy	25c
McK. & R. Eye Drops	25c
25c Norwich Foot Powder	19c
45c Colgate's Tooth Paste	37c
30c Kolynos Tooth Paste	24c
30c Sal Hepatica	24c
\$1.50 Petrolagar	\$1.09
Glycerin Suppositories	25c

EXTRA LARGE WOOL POWDER PUFF

20c

NO. 2 HAWKEYE CAMERA

79c

Children

Hygeia Pure Strained Vegetables	25c
Anti-Colic Nipples	5c
Present Nursing Bottles	5c
Rubber Baby Pants	10c
40c Fletcher's Castoria	23c

SPECIALS

Nuxferrone Iron Tonic	\$1.00
1 Pt. Milk of Magnesia	39c
45c Wyeth's Lithia Tablets	33c
30c Creolin Disinfectant	21c
Hy-Pure Headache Powders	25c
60c Pape's Diapentin	49c
50c Rheumatic Compound	33c

Jubilee Tickets
ON EVERY
50c PURCHASE

Fancy Breakfast

BACON

sugar cured—3 to 5 lb. piece

lb. 19c

Standard Brands

Peas or Corn	3 No. 2 cans 25c

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

So build we the wall; and all the wall was joined together unto the half thereof: for the people had a mind to work.—Nehemiah, iv, 6.

ENGLAND'S DOLE

The suspension of gold payments in Great Britain followed closely upon the revelation of the country's financial plight through the drastic steps recently taken to balance its budget. Capital took alarm and "flew" from Great Britain as it had done from Germany and France with disastrous consequences to the mark and franc. The pound sterling is governed by the same economic laws. There is no divine sanction in international exchange.

At the bottom of the whole trouble is the dole. Great Britain has been eating up her capital, without replenishing her larder by production. A British peer, visiting America three or four years ago, was asked how long Great Britain could continue the dole without going bankrupt. "About five years," was his answer. The time he set is approaching completion. Great estates have been broken up to pay taxes. Small incomes are now taxed a hundred times as much as in the United States. The country is being bled white to keep men in idleness.

Apologists for the dole assert that it was Great Britain's only alternative to revolution, when, after the war, several million men were demobilized, without immediate employment. Whether or not that is altogether true is no longer worth debating. The dynamic but somewhat superficial Mr. Lloyd George induced his country to take the "easy way" out of an unpleasant situation by revising its unemployment insurance plan to include the dole outright. The easy way sometimes proves the hardest in the end. Great Britain has learned that to its sorrow.

Actually the dole consumes capital without reproducing it. Constructively it accumulates a disinclination on the part of workers to accept employment when it offers; and tends to discourage the countries that employ it from adopting in the beginning remedies that leave no such evil after effects. They are lulled to sleep by the dole, as by an opiate. At the end of their pleasant dream they awaken with the specter of bankruptcy staring them in the face. After the experiences of Great Britain and certain Continental European countries with this palliative, any other nation must be blind indeed that did not take its bitter medicine first, when it is more easily stomached; shun the dole, and devise other means of easing unemployment and providing, as far as possible, against its recurrence.

WHIPPING POST

Lewis L. Fawcett, supreme court justice in New York City, has joined the ranks of those who believe in corporal punishment for brutal crime. "We should have the whipping post and the lash vigorously applied to all gangsters and racketeers," said the judge, speaking directly from the bench the other day. "If we had, they would not come back for a second dose. The records of England, Delaware and Maryland show a decided lack of second offenders."

"Brutalizing and un-Christian!" the sentimentalists and bandit petters will scream. Is it?

In the October number of Scribner's Magazine, one Jack Callahan who says he is an ex-convict of varied experience in prisons, talks in a most interesting way about various aspects of penology, old and new, discussing coddling and riots, and their causes, and he says among other things:

"I had no spring bed or comfortable mattress to rest on ten or twenty years back. I slept on a 'shakedown' on the floor with a hundred other lawbreakers, all of whom were chained together by the ankles. Did we riot? No; we never rioted. We were too tired to riot. (They worked hard all day.) But even if we had been disposed to stage a little rebellion, there was THAT strap hanging in the warden's office to give us pause. Only the man who has had the strap can testify to its power as a deterrent. I have had several applications of it, so I ought to know. There never was a riot in a prison where the warden swung the strap. * * * The strap did not degrade me. It had the opposite effect. It provoked meditation, and strangled the ambition to become known as the 'hard guy of the big house.' * * * I never robbed a bank in Delaware because the whipping post always scared me. * * * Restore the strap. Convicts fear the strap. It is not degrading. Babying a full grown man is far more degrading than strapping him."

Mr. Callahan adds the prophecy that there never will be riots in Southern prisons because they use straps in them, and work the convicts hard; and "tired convicts never riot."

These remarks certainly deserve some attention. They come from a person who is, in a manner of speaking, an expert on the subject he discusses; and he ought to know a little more about what he talks of than the sobsquatters do.

Coming to the theory that the strap or the lash is un-Christian, we advance just one quotation to the contrary. It is this: "And when He had made a whip of small cords, He drove them all out of the temple." Subsequently He said to the racketeers He had flogged and routed: "It is written, My house shall be called a house of prayer, but ye have made it a den of thieves."

That is what the thugs and racketeers are making today of this land that once was a land of liberty, piety and honesty, "a den of thieves." And the method Jesus of Nazareth employed two thousand years ago to correct such a condition, certainly ought to be "Christian" enough to be used today.

EDUCATE THEM

"Merely educate people and you have a set of clever devils." This pearl of wisdom dropped from the lips of Dr. Lucius H. Bugbee, of New York, while talking to the members of the Detroit M. E. conference. The remark is interesting because if it is not mere rhetoric, it is remarkably like a throwback to the good old, half-forgotten doctrine of total depravity. Yet even so, we don't quite get the force of it. Cleverness isn't a matter of education, but natural endowment; and as devils go, there is no reason why an educated one should be a greater nuisance than an ignorant one. Bye and large, ignorance with good intention probably does more harm in the world than malevolence tempered by knowledge.

Somebody suggests that Mayor Walker and Mahatma Gandhi exchange clothes. We have an idea that if they did, the mahatma would look less startling than the Mayor.

If Alme starts setting the Bible to music, what will she do when she gets to the chronological chapters?

Many a time we have put down a book, and as one dean suggests, thought about it a while; wondering why in the world we ever wasted time in reading it.

The problem of determining the specific gravity of the new golf ball is a weighty question.

But the pajamas of today don't look anything like the pajamas of yesterday.

After all, it is pleasant exercise to follow the bargains.

MY NEW YORK

By JAMES ASWELL

NEW YORK.—What few New Yorkers know:

That targets used to train police rookies are marked "CHILD KILLER" in big letters show the figure of a man with a heart for a bullet-hole.

That the feather dealers are cleaning up, due to the new styles, while this and that business languishes as you may know; and that the new styles are the reason.

That when protests over the Asbury Park baby show—on the grounds of long hours in the hot sun for kiddies, etc., etc.—were heard from various sources this year, scores of mothers wrote in urging that the show be held; and that there is no record of any casualties resulting.

That there is no libel law for the State of Virginia, the anti-dueling statute being invoked for that purpose instead.

That St. Paul's Chapel, in Broadway near Fulton St., is the oldest building in the city, having been built in 1774; and that its rear now faces Broadway because it was meant to overlook the North River.

That Rolf Armstrong, the pretty girl cover artist, doesn't do all of his pictures in pastel, as most amateurs suspect, but uses several other mediums.

That the rumor of Ballyhoo's suspension after the current number is without foundation.

That your New York dentist will have to take down his gaudy electric sign advertising the shop—if he has one up; and that from now on the molar morticians will have to get along with the same modest professional card doctors employ, and huge models of false teeth on display must also go.

That there is a marionette theater in Mulberry street, the heart of Little Italy, which packs the house each night with dramatizations of classic poems.

That despite all the crime and gangster talk actual statistics for this year will show New York about what it was a year ago—or ten years ago; and that crime in large cities really rises or falls extraordinarily little from year to year, for all the ballyhoo.

That most of the patrons of the dizzily high-hat eating places where the menus are in French, have to ask the waiter to translate—or else take a chance.

That it costs \$2.30 to taxi from midtown New York to Hoboken, but that it costs \$5 to come the other way.

That the best north Italian cooking in New York is to be found in a speakeasy across the street from one of the children's courts.

That hors d'oeuvres, prepared and served in the true Parisian fashion, are only to be found in New York in Swedish restaurants.

That there is a restaurant in Harlem which specializes in ham bones; another sells only pig's feet, while a third spareskin on every plate.

That Tommy Hadden, most notorious of all Shanghai artists along the waterfront, lived in the same block of Cherry street which contains the home of Samuel Reid, who designed the American flag.

Answers to questions on information and fact can be obtained by writing to Central Press Bureau, 1435 East Twelfth street, Cleveland, O., and enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope. No answers will be given to marital, medical or legal questions, nor will the estimated value of old coins be given.

GRAB BAG
What submarine sank the Lusitania?

What is the name of the Irish revolutionary society called which participated in the Easter riot of 1916, at Dublin?

What are the straits which separate the Gallipoli peninsula from Asia Minor called?

Correctly Speaking—
Verbs ending in "le" change "le" to "y" before "ing."

Today's Anniversary
On this date, in 1776, Pennsylvania adopted a state constitution.

TODAY'S HOROSCOPE
Persons born on this day are very affectionate and cannot bear cold treatment.

Answers to Foregoing Questions
1. U-39.
2. Sinn Fein.
3. Dardanelles.

NOTE: The following pamphlets may be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin and a large stamped self-addressed envelope for each to Central Press Bureau, P. O. Box 126, Washington, D. C.: "Who's Who in Hollywood," "Seeing Washington," "Swimming," Charles P. Stewart's treatise on "Our Government," and "The World War."

ANXIOUS MOMENTS



SKEPTICISM EXPRESSED OVER VAGRANCY LAW AIMED AT GANG VIOLENCE

CHARLES P. STEWART

ALBANY, N. Y.—Lynching an

occasional bad man seems to me almost better than having a law on a state's statute book that is so susceptible to oppressive use by the police as to require the pledge which I heard Commissioner Edward P. Mulrooney of the New York department give before a legislative committee here the other day.

"Don't be afraid to trust us with this power; we'll not abuse it."

It was in connection with his advocacy of one of the Empire State's anti-crime bills, aimed at the stamping out of gang violence in Manhattan, the police commissioner advanced his plea.

The provocation of Gotham's recent child killings has been ex-

plained ever since then.

Naturally, no influential citizen ever is arrested as a "vag" in his home town, but plenty of persons are who are no worse than poor and strangers.

Just at the moment, the individual Police Commissioner Mulrooney is after, as he explained to the legislature, is the class of well-dressed crooks with lots of money, but the law will remain long after the emergency is over—and for the police, will be extremely convenient.

As for ever repealing it, "Nothing is more difficult," Congressman Fitzgerald of Ohio, for a long time chairman of the house of repre-

sentatives' committee on revision of laws, once told me, "than wiping

it out, after it has outlived its usefulness and perhaps become

a positive menace."

"People who never dreamed of its

existence will rise up in its defense

the instant they hear of a move to cancel it."

The New York legislature was

afraid of its new vagrancy law, too.

One of Acting Mayor Joseph V.

McKee's eloquence, all the Com-

mmissioner Mulrooney's promise

and the backing of ex-U. S. Attorney General William J. Donovan and John W. Davis, the Democrats' presidential candidate in 1932, who

collaborated to make it air-tight,

were needed to overcome the legis-

lative codes committee's skepticism

concerning its merits.

However, it probably will be some years (that is, until the purpose for which it originally was passed has been forgotten) before it will begin to be employed as a weapon of real oppression.

DEAR VIRGINIA LEE: I have

two very serious faults which I

have been trying to overcome for

two years, but to no avail.

"First, I talk too much. No, I'm

not too talkative, but I mean that

I tell things that I shouldn't. I

get too confidential, and the first

thing I know I've told something

that I should have kept to myself.

This fault often leads to the

breaking of valuable friendships

with both boys and girls. How can

I correct it?

"Second, I seem to have a streak

of jealousy in me. I know it's nar-

row-minded, that it should be over-

come, I resolve to grow away from it. If I think one of my girl

friends likes someone better than

me, I get jealous. If a boy friend

or mine talks to another girl, I get

jealous.

"I realize that I've got to over-

come both of these faults while I'm

young—but how? CONSTANCE."

Arent we all in your dilemma,

Constance?

SORRY I can't advise you to be

vaccinated or inoculated against

talking too much and getting jea-

lous. Constance, If there was such

a treatment I would have been one

of the first to take it.

And I'm grieved that I can't tell

you how to overcome these unde-

sirable traits while you're young.

SPORT SNAP SHOTS

FRAMED by Phil

NIGHT FOOTBALL TO MAKE DEBUT AT COX GRIDIRON FRIDAY NIGHT

Scholastic football in Xenia under floodlights will make its debut at 8 o'clock Friday night when the referee's whistle sends the Xenia Central High and Washington C. H. football elevens against each other at Cox Athletic Field.

Attracted by the novelty of a night grid contest under artificial playing conditions, a record-breaking throng is expected to witness the fray, including many curious spectators from surrounding cities.

The floodlight installation was completed Thursday by the Dayton Power and Light Co., and the twenty-eight 1,500 watt lamps, mounted on fourteen wooden poles, were illuminated in the evening for the first time.

The lights literally turned night into day at the athletic field and Central High's football squad had an opportunity to hold a light workout, so that the grididers might adjust themselves to the after dark playing conditions.

Anxious to find out how the field looked, brilliantly lighted after dark, many Xenians visited the field, watched the Buccaneers practice and paid compliments to the efficiency of the installation.

It was conservatively estimated about as many people were on hand as ordinarily have turned out in past years to watch an actual scheduled football game here, but this report was unverified. It indicated, however, the attendance at the Xenia-Washington game Friday evening should surpass all previous records.

High school officials found it necessary to make two last-minute

substitutions in the officials who will work the game, due to the fact the contest will be staged at night instead of in the afternoon.

Dick Bray, St. Xavier, scheduled to referee the game, and Paul Schenck, Dayton city recreation director, under contract to be headliners, notified the school they would be unable to officiate the game at night. As a result, the referee will be A. R. Tilton, of Bliss College, while S. E. Moler will act as headlinersman. W. C. Fish, Ohio State, will be the umpire as originally planned.

Coach Walter "Pinky" Wilson sent his grididers through a spirited but not too strenuous drill under the glims Thursday night, and the Bucs did not appear to be handicapped by the strange conditions.

Three full teams were cowering about the gridiron and with the weather turning cool for a change, the boys displayed a lot of pep.

True football atmosphere should prevail for the season's opener. The weather was crisp and cool Friday and playing conditions, from a climatic standpoint, are expected to be ideal.

NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY

Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Louis	98	53	.645
New York	87	64	.576
Chicago	82	70	.539
Brooklyn	78	73	.517
Pittsburgh	75	77	.493
Philadelphia	65	87	.428
Boston	62	89	.414
CINCINNATI	58	93	.384

Yesterday's Results
Philadelphia 5, Pittsburgh 1.
Only game played.

Games Today
St. Louis at Cincinnati.
New York at Brooklyn.
Philadelphia at Boston.
Only games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	106	44	.707
Washington	92	58	.613
New York	90	59	.604
CLEVELAND	76	76	.500
Boston	61	89	.407
Detroit	61	91	.401
St. Louis	59	90	.396
Chicago	55	94	.373

Yesterday's Results
Philadelphia 5, Pittsburgh 1.
Only game played.

Games Today
Boston at Philadelphia.
Washington at New York.
Chicago at St. Louis.
Only games scheduled.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Paul	102	61	.626
Kansas City	87	76	.534
Indianapolis	84	79	.515
COLUMBUS	83	80	.509
Milwaukee	81	83	.494
Minneapolis	79	85	.482
Louisville	72	92	.438
TOLEDO	66	97	.405

Yesterday's Results
Toledo 8, Indianapolis 0.
St. Paul 3, Kansas City 0.
Columbus 10-5, Louisville 6-1.
Minneapolis 11-2, Milwaukee 9-5.

Games Today
Columbus at Indianapolis.
Toledo at Louisville.
St. Paul at Kansas City.
Minneapolis at Milwaukee.

Bowling

One of the two individual records in the Recreation League was broken and the other was equalled Thursday night as the Red Wing Co. bowling team took undisputed leadership of the league by winning two out of three games from the Schmidt Oil Co. shattering a tie that had previously existed.

Rolling games of 230, 201 and 209 for a series of 640, Howard Donley, of the Schmidt quintet, exceeded by twenty pins the former league record for high individual three-game total held by Howard Brickel, of the Kippendorff Shoes. Carl Highley, of the Red Wings, also surpassed the former mark with a series of 634. His total included a single game of 245, equaling the league record for high individual game recently set by Leach, also of Kippendorff.

The match was a close affair, both teams exceeding 900 each of the three games. Schmidt bowlers won the first skirmish, 982 to 940, but the Red Wings squared matters in the second game, 950 to 988, then took the third and deciding brush by a margin of 924 to 912.

The Red Wings totalled 2,814 for the three games as compared with 2,832 for Schmidt Oil Co. The Schmidt total was only thirteen pins shy of the league record. Box score:

Red Wing Co.
J. Anderson 189 179 174
Highley 166 245 223
Moore 217 196 180
Pesavento 165 206 181
Gannon 203 124 166

Totals 940 950 924

Schmidt Oil Co.
White 189 202 178
Donley 230 201 208
Wagner 194 180 160
Muhlenhard 188 185 171
Malavazos 181 170 194

Totals 982 938 912

Beth Twp. High grididers of Xenia will visit the Home for a game next week as originally planned. The contest with the Ohio Deaf school has been re-scheduled for October 10 here and a game at Bradford, O., first planned for October 10, has been transferred to October 16, an open date on the cadet grid chart.

ANNOUNCE CHANGES IN HOME SCHEDULE

Three changes in the 1931 O. S. and S. O. Home football schedule were announced Thursday by Fred Neff, athletic director.

The scheduled season's opener with the Ohio Deaf school this weekend having been cancelled, the cadets will instead meet Sharonville, near Cincinnati, on the Home gridiron here Saturday at 2:30 p.m.

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Juvenile
BELL—Black Face. A story for the youngest readers.
CHEVALIER—Wandering Monday. The story of Sigrid, a little Norwegian girl.

HILLERY—Box of Daylight. A book of Indian legends.

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WHITE—Hathaway House. Real everyday people are the characters in this romance.

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10:30 worship. Sermon topic: "The Brightening Effect of Unbelief." A special sermon to Christians. The entire Bible school attendants are urged to remain for this message.

Evening, 6:30 B. Y. P. U. Service in charge of the young people of the church. A training school for future leaders.

7:30 Union service at Friends Church with sermon by Rev. Russell Burkett, the retiring pastor.

Wednesday, Sept. 30th, 7:30 p. m. regular mid-week prayer service. Topic for study and discussion, "Oaths—Is It Wrong to Make Them?" The Bible teaching on this important subject will be viewed in the light of the age in which we live.

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Pointing Spires

How amiable are thy tabernacles, O Lord of hosts!
—Psalm 84:1.

IN ages long past the foundations of the Church were securely laid in the unchanging verities; the revitalizing blood of a million new members is yearly transfused into its life stream.

Its ministrations bring untold blessings to multitudes around the world. To its schools, its hospitals, its rescue and redemptive work, it annually dedicates six hundred million dollars.

It has placed an inspired literature in the libraries of the world; breathed a spiritual quality into the world's most enchanting music; given glorious color and form to the world's masterpieces of art.

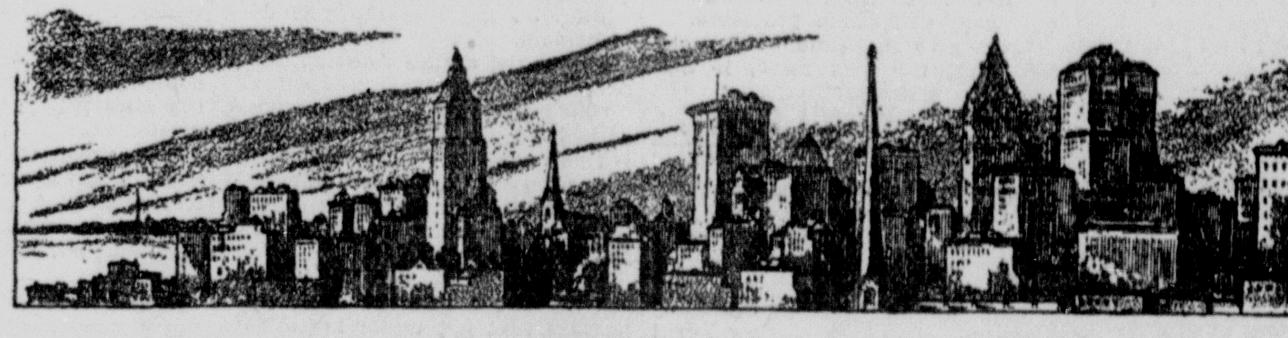
By quiet country road and busy city street its spires point heavenward, ever exalting the hearts of men, ever directing their thoughts toward God.

To Parents

President Hoover recently said: "If we could grapple with the whole child situation for one generation, our public health, our economic efficiency, the whole moral character, sanity and stability of our people would advance three generations in one."

To Strangers

If it is not your habit to go to Church when away from home, going this week will give you a new and interesting experience. Incidentally, to the Church there are no strangers—all here welcome you!



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The union service will be a farewell for Rev. Russell Burkett at Friends Church at 7:30.

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FIRST REFORMED CHURCH
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We thank Thee, thus, O Father, For all things bright and good, The seed-time and the harvest, Our life, our health, our food; Accept the gifts we offer For all Thy love imparts, And, what Thou most desirest, Our humble, thankful hearts.

—Matthias Claudius.

Sunday School 9:15 a. m. L. E. Oldham, Supt.

Worship and sermon, 10:30 a. m. Observing Harvest Home Day, the pastor will bring an appropriate message. The rostrum will be decorated with fruits, grains and vegetables.

The union service in the evening will be held in the Friends Church when Rev. Russell Burkett will give his farewell message.

The consistory will meet on Monday evening, Sept. 28th, when a representative of the Executive Committee of General Synod is to consult with the local officers.

Rally Day in both Sunday School and Church will be observed next Sunday.

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SPENT 71 CENTS TO SAVE 1 at the home of Mrs. Jennie Costenborder Thursday afternoon. Oct. 1. All members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartman of Dayton visited at the home of Mrs. Emma Engle and Mrs. Jeanette Duncan Tuesday afternoon. They report their son, Rev. Ward Hartman has passed through China on his return home.

Mrs. Emma Kettler returned home after a visit with her daughter and family Mrs. Lawrence Coy.

Mrs. Frank Brown met with an accident Wednesday morning by falling down the steps at her home.

Mr. Raymond Huston fell from a gravel truck and broke his collar bone. He was unconscious but is resting better now.

A BELL BUZZARD
LANCASTER, O., Sept. 25—After caring for an undernourished buzzard which he found on his farm after a severe storm, Homer Hansley released the bird when it became full grown and placed a sheep bell around its neck giving its name and address and the date of the buzzard's release.

MT. ZION

Mr. Bergenstein of the Siminary of Dayton will preach at Mt. Zion Sunday morning Sept. 27. He will also be present at the Sunday School hour. Mr. Hallderman will be at the Beaver church for the church service and Sunday School. We hope for a good attendance at the services, and welcome them in their new work.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet

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BIG SISTER—Wonder What It Can Be?

The Theater

Forty-five women sit on the film reviewing committee of the Daughters of the American Revolution Mrs. S. O. Hale informs this department following the district meeting at Cedarville.

These committee members view the picture at the same time, but wait twenty-four hours before they meet to discuss its merits. Each then offers an individual opinion and the consensus of the committee rates the film.

Reviewing reports of other societies are also given circulation

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The Y. M. C. A. committee recommends "Politics", "The Prodigal", "Alexander Hamilton", "Transatlantic" and "Huckleberry Finn".

Twenty Years
'11- Ago -'31

Mr. W. H. Donges, the popular S. Detroit St. druggist, is in the field as a candidate for the school board.

An athletic board composed of James Hawkins, senior; William Gowdy, junior; Frederick Flynn, sophomore, and Hugh Barnes freshman, was appointed at a meeting of the Xenia High School Athletic Association.

Roy L. Haines of the Hoop Road, has returned to his work in the junior year at Starling, Ohio, Medical College, Columbus.

by the D. A. R. committee, including the review of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, the motion picture bureau of the International Federation of Catholic Alumnae and the motion picture bureau of the Y. M. C. A.

The Federated club bulletin lists twenty-three pictures suggested for their entertainment and educational value as follows: "An American Tragedy", "Bad Girl", "Die Blonde Nachtmahl", "The Brat", "Caught Plastered", "Daughter of the Dragon", "The Dreyfus Case", "For Hennes' Skull", "Guilty Hands", "Huckleberry Finn", "I Am From Siam", "The Immortal Vagabond", "The Magnificent Lie", "Merely Mary Ann", "Nomad", "Pardon Us", "Silence", "Sporting Blood", "The Star Witness", "Street Scene", "Transatlantic", "The White Devil" and "The Woman Between".

Others recommended in the current issue include "Big Gamble", a Radio Bill Boyd vehicle; "Expensive Women", Dolores Costello, starring vehicle for Warners; "Five Star Final", Warner version of the tabloid newspaper stage play; "Hell-Bent For Frisco"; "High Stakes", "Honeymoon Lane", "The Last Flight", "Men Are Like That", "The Miracle Woman", "Mother and Son" (in which Clara Kimball Young returns); "On the Road to Singapore", "The Reckless Hour", "The Run Around", "Secrets of a Secretary", "Traveling Husbands", "Young As You Feel".

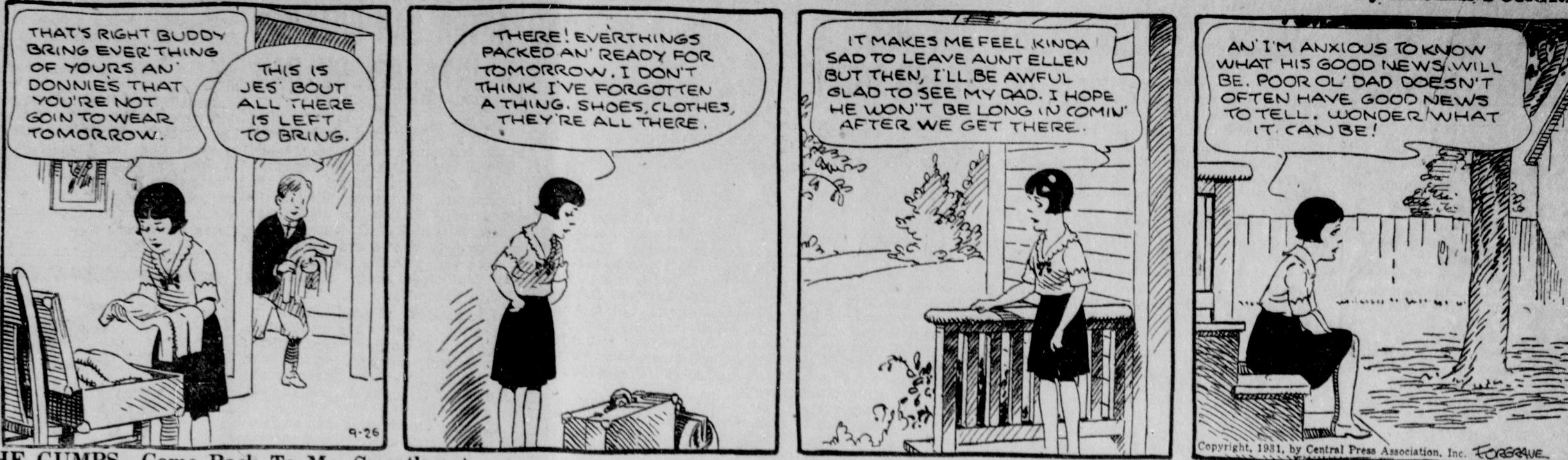
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SALLY'S SALLIES



When the jury saw that the defendant was as pretty as a picture, they all wanted to hang her.

JUST AMONG US GIRLS



THE GUMPS—Come Back To Me, Sweetheart



ETTA KETT—The Honey Moo-oo-n Express



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By EDWINA

FIVE CHURCHES TO CONDUCT SERIES OF SPECIAL SERVICES

"The New Testament Churches" will be the subject of a series of services to be held by a quintet of Xenia churches during the next few months. Churches comprising the group are the First Reformed Trinity M. E. Presbyterian First Baptist and First M. E. Churches.

The first service will be Sunday evening, October 4, at the First Reformed Church. The Rev. W. H. Tilford, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, will speak on "Founding of the Churches." Other services to follow are: October 11, Trinity M. E. Church, the Rev. W. W. Foust, of the First Reformed Church, speaker, subject, "Ephesus — the Fallen Church"; October 18, Presbyterian Church, the Rev. E. A. Rager, pastor of Trinity, speaker, subject, "Smyrna — the Faithful Church"; October 25, First Baptist Church, the Rev. W. N. Shank, pastor of the First M. E. Church, speaker, subject, "Pergamos — the Lax Church"; November 1, First M. E. Church, the Rev. J. R. Lunsford, pastor of the First Baptist Church, speaker, subject, "Thyatira — the Corrupted Church".

November 8, Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Mr. Foust, speaker, subject, "Philadelphia — the Mission Church"; November 15, Reformed Church, the Rev. Mr. Shank, speaker, subject, "Sardis — the Dead Church"; November 22, musical service at Trinity M. E. Church; November 29, First Baptist Church, the Rev. Mr. Tilford, speaker, subject, "Laodicea on the Lukewarm Church"; December 6, First M. E., the Rev. Mr. Rager, speaker, subject, "The Modern Church"; December 13, First Reformed Church, the Rev. Mr. Lunsford, speaker, subject, "The Modern Call to Worship."

December 20 and 27 are open dates for the churches to have any type of service they desire. The special union services may be continued after the first of the year if the attendance at the preceding services warrants them.

ASK FORECLOSURE; DIVORCE IS SOUGHT

Suit for \$504.35 and seeking foreclosure of mortgaged property has been filed in Common Pleas Court by the Peoples Building and Savings Co. against Nellie B. Ellis and William Ellis. C. W. Whitmer is attorney for the plaintiff.

SEEKS DIVORCE

Divorce, on grounds of gross neglect of duty, and restoration of her maiden name of Armstrong, are sought in a suit filed in Common Pleas Court by Josephine A. Marshall against Percy Minshall, to whom she was married January 9, 1930. They have no children.

MARRIAGE LICENSES (Applied For)

Harold Jacob Fischer, Osborn, printer, and Dorcas Irene Sanders, Fairfield. Rev. Youngs. (Granted)

George W. Harner, R. F. D. No. 3, Xenia, farmer, and Oma Lee Rector, R. R. No. 5, Xenia. Rev. W. H. Tilford.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND
Ladies! Ask your Druggist
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As best, safest, reliable.
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NOTICE

To Lot Owners, the election of three members to the Board of Directors of Woodland Cemetery Association to succeed H. L. Smith, M. L. Wolf, and J. A. Piper whose terms expire, will be held Monday, October 5th, from 2 to 5 p. m. at the office of the secretary, F. E. Anderson, 19 S. Detroit St.

She suffers so — unnecessarily!



Nearly Nervous Prostration

Do you know her... this poor woman who wakes up, her head aching, her nervesragged? How many young women are working "on their nerve" because female weakness has robbed them of strength and health?

If they would only try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It strengthens by its tonic action... brings soothings, comforting relief.

Get a bottle of the liquid from your druggist today. Or try it in the new convenient tablet form.

**Lydia E. Pinkham's
VEGETABLE COMPOUND**

BUS COMPANY WILL ABSORB TWO LINES

Authority to purchase two bus lines was given The Xenia-Hillsboro Bus Co. Thursday by the state utilities commission.

The commission authorized the company to buy, for \$1,500, from Lewis C. Wolfe, Wilmington, equipment used in operating a bus route between Xenia and Wilmington, and to purchase, for \$500, from J. V. Hoover, Hillsboro, equipment used on the Wilmington-Hillsboro bus route.

Operations over these routes will be maintained by the Xenia-Hillsboro company.

WEEKLY EVENTS

FRIDAY:
Eagles

SATURDAY:
Market at Fisher's Meat Market, E. Main St., by Blue Ribbon Class, First U. B. Church.

MONDAY:
K. K.
S. P. O.
B. P. O. E.
Pocahontas.
K. of C.

TUESDAY:
Unity Center.
Kiwanis.
Rotary.
Aldo's Chapter.

WEDNESDAY:
Church Prayer Meetings.
Moose.

K. of P. Ivanhoe No. 56.

THURSDAY:
Pride of X. D. of A.
Red Men.
Jr. Order.

GUILD MEMBERSHIP DOES NOT REQUIRE TALENT FOR ACTING

With the 1931-32 membership drive well under way officers of the Xenia Little Theater Guild are emphasizing the fact that it is not necessary for persons to possess dramatic talent in they wish to join the organization.

The opinion has existed that if a person joins the Guild it is necessary that he perform in the plays and it is pointed out that members may display their talents in other areas of work in the Guild, in assisting backstage, with the music, or on various committees such as costuming, engaging properties or in whatever line they so desire.

The Guild's first presentation this year is a comedy, "Adam and Eva", by Guy Bolton, and rehearsals have already started under the direction of Mrs. D. D. Jones. It is planned to present the play the latter part of October. A short meeting of the Guild's executive committee was held at the home of the president, Mrs. James Wilson III, Thursday evening.

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Saturday, Sept. 26, 1931
At 2 P. M. at my residence S. Columbus St.
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BANKERS ATTEND GROUP MEETING

AUTO DRIVER FINED AFTER CAR CRASHES INTO BRIDGE RAIL

Five of the nine Greene County banks were represented at a meeting of Group No. 1, of the Ohio Bankers Association at Hamilton, O. Thursday afternoon and evening.

M. L. Wolf, cashier, and R. D. Adair and George Galloway, directors of the Citizens National Bank, were the only Xenia banking officials present. The Osborn National Bank, Cedarville Exchange Bank, Bowersville Bank and Spring Valley National Bank sent representatives to the meeting.

Mr. Wolf, serving the second year of a three-year term, represents Greene County on the executive committee of the bankers' group.

Kirkpatrick pleaded guilty to operating an auto while intoxicated. William Thompson, Springfield, owner and occupant of the car was fined \$50 and costs for drunkenness and lodged in jail in lieu of payment.

Another unidentified man and woman, reported to have been passengers in the machine, left the accident scene before the arrival of authorities and could not be located.

The auto, being driven toward Springfield, was reported to have sideswiped the railing, one side of the car being damaged considerably.

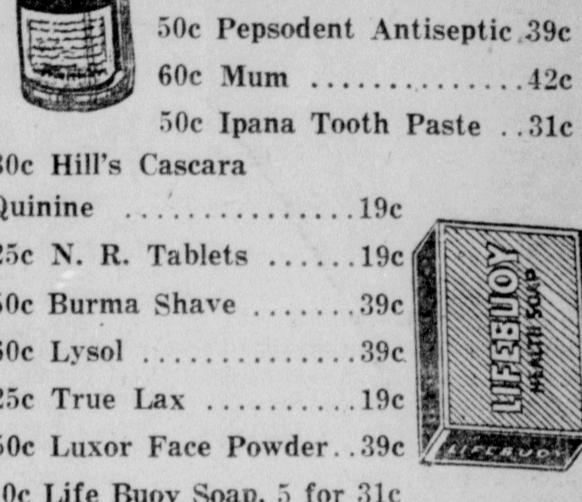
Captain Fred Jones, of the police department, arrested Thompson and Kirkpatrick was apprehended later at Goss by Deputy Sheriffs Walton Spahr and J. B. Newsom. The driver, after the mishap, had continued on with the auto for about three more miles before officers overtook him.

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50c Almond Lotion	29c
60c Resinol Ointment	43c
60c Sal Hepatica	42c
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50c Feenamint	39c



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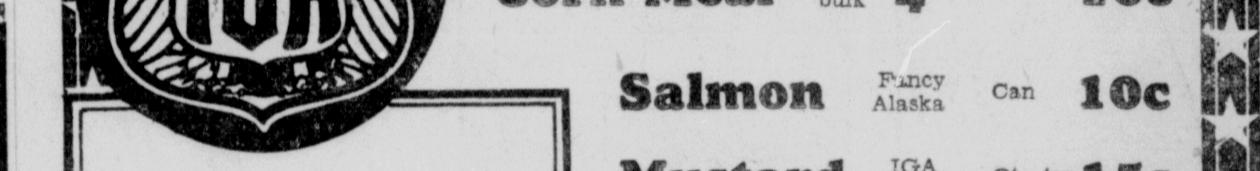


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GUTHERY APPOINTS SANDUSKY MAN

FEAR POLITICS TO EMBROIL LEGION

COMMANDER PLANS NO ACTION PENDING NOVEMBER MEETING

Does Not Consider Prohibition Vote Mandate To Him

DETROIT, Sept. 25.—The American Legion's attack on the eighteenth amendment, with a suggestion for a prohibition referendum by the states, provoked a drive among its leaders today to keep the soldier organization of 1,100,000 members out of the national political arena.

The new Legion administration, headed by the youthful Henry L. Stevens, of North Carolina, will take no action whatever on the wet and dry issue, it was learned, until a meeting of its executive committee in Indianapolis in November. Then, it may be decided that the Legion has merely expressed an "opinion" about the dry law without requiring political activity to secure adoption of its recommendation.

Stevens, a staunch dry from North Carolina, told International News Service he would take no steps toward securing a referendum unless the executive committee—representing every Legion department in the Union—ordered action at the November session.

"I regard the convention's action on prohibition as an expression of its conviction on that subject," Stevens said, "but I do not believe the resolution adopted was intended as a mandate to me to seek its adoption in congress. That is my personal opinion but I shall be guided entirely by the decision of the executive committee at its meeting in November."

Leaders of the Legion were deeply concerned by the convention's overwhelming opposition to prohibition. They feared the organization might become involved in the battle for repeal of the eighteenth amendment or modification of the Volstead act to the detriment of legislation affecting care of the disabled, widows and orphans and pensions. Unless the vets can muster control of the executive committee it appeared likely the convention's decision would be interpreted merely as the expression of its sympathies, requiring no future legislative activity by the organization.

A study of the convention's vote meanwhile revealed tremendous wet sentiment among veterans from states, always regarded as

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WOMAN KILLED WHEN AUTO IS WRECKED

JAPS SEIZING RAIL STATIONS

NAPOLEON, O., Sept. 25.—Mrs. Normanda Sheppard, 64, was killed and three brothers were injured near here today when the automobile in which they were traveling to visit another brother in South Dakota they had not seen in twenty years, overturned on a curve.

Mary Sheppard, 28-year-old daughter of Mrs. Sheppard, was also injured in the accident. She received cuts and bruises.

W. A. Gray, 66, of Toledo, who was driving the car, escaped with only minor injuries. Cash Gray, 73, of Napoleon, received severe lacerations and another brother, Henry Gray, 61, of Grand Rapids, O., suffered a fractured arm.

The party was just starting on a trip to Rapid City, S. D., to visit J. I. Gray, a brother whom they had not seen for twenty years, when the accident occurred.

FIFTH PITTSBURGH BANK IS CLOSED

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 25.—Seeking to protect the interests of depositors, the state banking department today took over the Pittsburgh-American Bank and Trust Co. here, fifth Pittsburgh bank to close within the past week.

Business and property of the institution were placed in the hands of J. D. Swigart, chief state bank examiner, at the request of the board of directors after some \$700,000 in deposits were withdrawn following the closing of four banks here.

The bank was capitalized at \$225,000, and had a surplus and reserve of \$250,000. Present deposits, Swigart said, total more than \$2,300,000.

In a statement, the bank's officers declared the closing was caused by heavy withdrawals and a desire to "avoid further impairment of its liquid assets and resources."

GRAN RETURNS HOME
PERAMBUCO, Sept. 25.—The German dirigible Graf Zeppelin sailed today for Friedrichshafen, Germany, returning to its home port from its second commercial flight to South America this year.

BARNESVILLE, O., Sept. 25.—Losing all their clothing and furniture, Joseph Johnson his wife and their son, Earl, had a narrow escape from death today when a \$10,000 fire destroyed two stores beneath their apartment.

The fire broke out in the center of the business district and the fire department fought the blaze two hours to prevent it spreading to adjoining property.

TEXAS CHALLENGES AIMEE

La Guinan Would Debate Much—Married Evangelist To Help Jobless

MARLBORO, Mass., Sept. 25.—Texas Guinan today had challenged Aimee Semple McPherson-Hutton to a debate in Boston Garden.

Interrupting her "Too Hot For Paris" revue at a local ball room last night, the New York night club "queen" offered to debate with the Los Angeles woman evangelist the question:

"Resolved, that people are entitled to a bit of fun and happiness in these troublous times."

RECEIVES THREATS

XENIA COMPANY LOW BIDDER BUT DENIED BUSINESS IS SHOWN

Highway Department referred To Pay Higher Prices

A Xenia business firm, from which the highway department bought \$2,912 worth of tires in 1930, was drawn indirectly Thursday into the investigation of the state highway department by a special senate committee at Columbus.

A charge that the state of Ohio had lost thousands of dollars because of "discrimination and favoritism" on the part of state highway department officials in awarding contracts for tires and asphalt paving materials in 1929 and 1930, while Robert N. Wade was highway director, was made by C. R. Bowen, Cincinnati accountant, a special investigator for the committee.

Claims were made by Bowen that the department bought tires from the Xenia Vulcanizing Co., this city, at one price and on the same day purchased the same kind and size tires from the General Tire and Rubber Co., Akron, paying the latter concern \$15 more per tire.

In the 1930 records, he testified, the department paid \$4,786 for tires to the Akron firm, despite the fact the same kind of tires could have been bought from the Xenia company at from \$4.34 to \$16.61 less per tire. He added the Xenia firm had been awarded a contract at the same time for \$2,912 worth of tires.

Bowen presented affidavits of Ralph O. Wead and John Kohl-Wead, now cashier of the Xenia National Bank, was formerly a deputy auditor of state. He is financially interested in the Xenia tire distributing company.

Before accepting appointment to the state position, and while still serving as auditor of Greene County, Wead was said to have gone to Columbus to ascertain why his company did not obtain business. His affidavit disclosed his firm offered tires lower in price than the same quality offered by the headquarters of the manufacturer which his concern represented.

The difference was about \$15 a tire on two sizes and \$4 on another size. Fred B. Sinsabaugh, Newark, was head of the purchasing department at that time.

Wead received a small amount of business when he made an additional reduction of three percent on his list prices, the senate committee learned. Members of the committee were said to have been impressed by this and wondered how an agent could undersell his principal and still make a profit, but Wead's statement said his firm made a profit.

With officials eager to take advantage of prevailing good weather conditions, possibility that the huge ship would again fly this afternoon was intimated early in the day. An official statement regarding the third flight was expected to be made today by Rear Admiral G. C. Day, chairman of the inspection and survey board.

The second flight, which was taken for the purpose of testing the ship's ability to ascend and descend, lasted just three minutes longer than the initial hop, and made at 10:44 p. m.

He added:

"If congress could suspend the operation of the Sherman law during this period of emergency, it would prevent waste and conserve the profits that are essential to insure employment."

Forsaking sleep for a glimpse of the air monster as she rode the winds in the moonlight, thousands of persons lined the roadways and gathered on the hills near the airport to watch the test maneuvers.

As the second flight ended, Rear Admiral Day said in an official statement that "the flight was successful for the purpose intended."

"I'll expose you," the deacon shouted after uttering several charges against Volla.

The ruler responded with the threat to dissolve Zion City's Municipal Court and thus take Deacon Forby's position of judge away from him.

JACK PICKFORD ILL

BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., Sept. 25.—Slight improvement was noted today in the condition of Jack Pickford, former film star and brother of Mary Pickford. Dr. Carl Lewis, a physician, said Pickford was still seriously ill as the result of a severe cold contracted several weeks ago.

REPORTER SOLVES IT



BIG BUSINESS WILL FIGHT ANTI-TRUST LAWS IN CONGRESS

Will Seek Changes As Emergency Plan Is Believed

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Big business apparently had a well-organized campaign under way today to bring about modification—or suspension, if possible—of the anti-trust laws.

Unusual needs arising out of the world depression will be the lever with which the giants of industry will try to move congress into action at the coming session. It will be asked as emergency legislation.

Within the last forty-eight hours, President Hoover has been memorialized twice to use his influence in bringing about a tightening of the Sherman and Clayton acts, which were adopted to protect the public from huge combines likely to restrain competitive trade and drive prices upward.

With such an auspicious start, it was considered inevitable that a powerful lobby would be at work when the legislators assemble in December.

The steel interests, as represented by Charles F. Abbott, executive director of the American Institute of Steel construction, petitioned Mr. Hoover for complete suspension of the trust laws "during this period of emergency." Representatives of the nineteen building trades organizations comprising the Construction League of the United States called at the White House in a body and suggested their modification "would be highly desirable."

In both instances, the appeal was based on a line of reasoning which the President himself had offered to congress in his last message—that is, that unfortunate wastes and destructive uses of natural resources are being forced by the workings of the laws. Mr. Hoover's message read:

"I recommend that the congress institute an inquiry into some of the aspects of the economic workings of these (anti-trust) laws. I do not favor repeal of the Sherman act. The prevention of monopolies is of most vital public importance. Competition is not only the basis of protection to the consumer but is the incentive to progress. However, the interpretation of these laws by the courts, the changes in business, especially in the economic effects upon those enterprises closely related to the use of the natural resources of the country, make such an inquiry advisable. The producers of these materials assert that certain unfortunate results of wasteful and destructive use of these natural resources together with a destructive competition which impoverishes both operator and worker can not be remedied because of the prohibitive interpretation of the anti-trust laws."

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beaten advocates appeared satisfied too.

The convention's decision was the result of much political pressure from the Hoover administration but the final death blow to the cash demand was executed by two men from the ranks—William L. Brown, a one-legged veteran from California, and Walle Williams, a soft-spoken farmer from Maryland.

Their dramatic appeals to the convention to vote against the cash bonus swelled the majority against it.

There seemed to be an overwhelming agreement with Williams, who said "the Legion has had the esteem and affection and love of the people of America because it has done the job of taking care of them and countless others who can name. On the day we use our organized power to ask for special privilege for ourselves and not for them, that day the Legion loses the love that it so richly deserves."

**JEWS TO CELEBRATE
SUKKOTH, FEAST OF
BOOTH SEVEN DAYS**

On Friday evening the Jewish people will commence the celebration of Sukkoth, the Feast of Booths. This holiday, lasting seven days, is immediately followed by Shemini Atzereth or the eighth day of solemn Convocation and Simhat Torah or the Rejoicing of the Law, on October 3 and 4, respectively.

Many Jews live for the period of

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Joan Crawford in
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the festival in temporary huts or booths called Sukkoth, commemorating that period when the children of Israel dwelt in booths in the wilderness.

The Ethrog and Lulab, or citron and palm, with willow and myrtle are symbolic of the agricultural life of the Jew when he made one of his three annual pilgrimages to Jerusalem on Sukkoth and celebrated his thanksgiving or harvest season at the Temple. Even today the Ethrog and the Lulab are to be found in the synagogue. They

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young children are inducted into the religious school is held at this season in reform temples. This service is known as consecration.

The harvest thanksgiving aspect of Sukkoth is beautifully portrayed in the house of worship by having the altar covered with autumnal fruits and grains. Following the service the fruit and flowers placed on the altar of the temple by the children are distributed to hospitals of all creeds.

ENGINEER SAVES LIFE
ST. ALBANS, Vt., Sept. 25—Sleeping across railway tracks was the weakness of a man who gave his name as Joseph Goodnature. His last attempt to find solace in slumber would have proved fatal but for the quick action of Engineer J. A. Mackay in stopping his train. Mackay's action is saving the man's life brought about the commendation of Manager Edmund Deschenes.

JAPS GO TO TWO SCHOOLS
HONOLULU, Sept. 25—Opening simultaneously with the public schools approximately 170 Japanese language schools with an enrollment of about 40,000 pupils, half of the entire pupil population in the territory, has begun classes. Students in the language schools of various nationalities here, Japanese, Chinese and Korean, attend these institutions after the public schools dismiss them for the day.

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Parker Pens and Pencils	1/2 Price	Choice of 1847 Rogers or Community Tea- spoons 1-2 dozen	\$1.59
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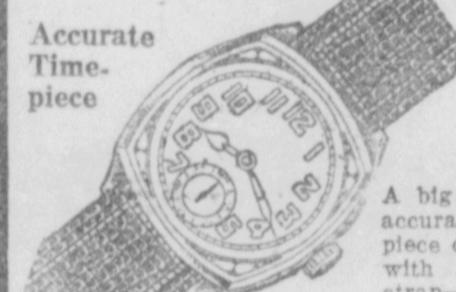
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Xenia Music Club To Open Season On October 6

PENING with an evening meeting October 6 when members of the Dayton Music Club present a program members of the Xenia Woman's Music Club are looking forward to an interesting series of meetings for the club year 1931-32. The programs are divided between afternoon and evening with the afternoon meetings starting at 2:30 o'clock and the evening programs at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Alice R. Ruthrauff, N. King St., will be hostess at the opening meeting when the Dayton Club presents its program here.

Miss Lois Street, delegate from the local club to the biennial convention of the National Federation of Music Clubs in San Francisco this summer, will give a report of that meeting when the club meets at the home of Mrs. W. H. McGervey on the afternoon of October 26. Colonial, early and modern music will be the subject of the program with Miss Marjorie Street as leader. The programs will be presented by the first division.

The November meeting of the club will be held at the Presbyterian

LUTHER LEAGUE ELECTS OFFICERS

Mr. Archer Maxwell was elected president of the Luther League at a business meeting in connection with a wiener roast at the Voorhees' picnic grounds, Fairground Road, Monday evening. Other officers elected were Miss Henrietta Fudge, vice president; Richard Huffman, secretary; Miss Phyllis Mellage, treasurer and Miss Mary Maxwell, corresponding secretary.

The following committees were appointed by the executive committee at a meeting at the home of Mr. Maxwell Wednesday evening: social, Misses Henrietta Fudge, Marjorie Shoemaker, Margaret Bone and Mr. Ralph Nichols; membership, the Misses Alice Gordon and Helen Nichols and Mr. J. F. Molitor; flower and sick committee, the Misses Evelyn Nichols, Katherine Maxwell and Pearl

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The opening devotional meeting will be held Sunday, October 4, with the president as leader.

VILLARS-LYONS NUPTIALS SOLEMNIZED

In a quiet ceremony performed at the parsonage of the Church of Christ, Wilmington, Miss. Betty Lyons, this city, was united in marriage to Mr. Roger Villars, Wilmington, Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock. The marriage was performed by the Rev. A. H. Williams and there were no attendants.

The bride wore an ensemble of chocolate brown satin with eggshell satin blouse and accessories were brown. Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Villars left by motor for a wedding trip but did not reveal their destination.

Mr. Villars is the son of Prof. and Mrs. J. O. Villars, Wilmington. He is a graduate of Wilmington High School and of Wilmington College. He is a member of Sigma Zeta fraternity. Mrs. Villars has been employed at Geyer's, this city. The couple will reside in Wilmington where Mr. Villars is in the insurance business.

ANNUAL W. C. T. U. CONVENTION TUESDAY

The annual convention of the Greene County W. C. T. U. will be held Tuesday at the First Baptist Church. The morning session will be devoted to the reading of reports and recommendations and there will be election of officers and trustees. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

The main feature of the afternoon will be a pageant depicting the history of the W. C. T. U. from the time of its early crusade. The pageant will be presented in costume. Preceding the pageant Mrs. Carrie Flatter, county president, will give her annual address. Persons who are not members of the organization but are interested in the program are invited to the meeting.

PROMINENT DRUGGIST OF CINCINNATI LAUDS TON-GEÉ FORMULA

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Adv.

Relatives here have received announcements of the birth of a son to Dr. and Mrs. Foy R. Trout, Denver, Colo., September 8. The baby has been named Robert Willard. Dr. Trout is a former Green Countian and practiced in James- town several years ago.

Mr. J. O. McDorman, Springfield, formerly of this city, underwent a serious operation for the removal of a toxic goiter at Mt. Carmel Hospital, Columbus, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Withoft, Fort Valley, Ga., will arrive here Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Withoft's brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Karl R. Babb, E. Second St.

Mrs. Ida Fishback, former Xenian, and mother of Mrs. N. T. Payne, Springfield, formerly of this city, is a patient in Mt. Carmel Hospital, Columbus, recovering from an operation performed several days ago.

Miss Eleanor McKay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. McKay, W. Church St., left this week for Cleveland to take a post graduate course at Western Reserve University. Miss McKay is working toward her master's degree in sociology.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nash, S. Detroit St., have returned home after spending five weeks in Michigan and Canada.

Mr. John Prugh, N. Galloway St., left this week for Knoxville, Tenn., to resume his studies at the University of Tennessee where he will be a member of the junior class. His position at the Snider Drug Store has been taken by his brother, Mr. George Prugh.

Mrs. Charles Thompson (Marian Brickett), who underwent an operation at Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, recently, has been removed from her home on Gladys Ave.

All members of Obedient Council, No. 160, Daughters of America, are asked to meet at the Juniper Hall promptly at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening. Members are asked to pay quarterly dues at this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arthur Kelly, Columbus, are visiting Mr. Kelly's mother, Mrs. Rachel J. Kelly, N. King St.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith (Thelma Phillips), N. Galloway St., are the parents of a son born Friday morning. The baby has been named Ralph Jr.

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PASTOR HONORED AT FAREWELL PARTY.

The Rev. and Mrs. S. Russell Burkett, who are moving soon to Fountain City, Ind., were honored at a farewell party given by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Friends Church Thursday evening. The party was held in the church basement and a covered dish dinner was served.

Games and stunts were enjoyed during the evening and the Rev. and Mrs. Burkett and son were each presented a gift. Miss Myrtle Borton, president of the society, gave a short talk on behalf of the society.

FORMER XENIAN'S MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Craig, Chestnut St., have received the announcement of the marriage of their son, Mr. Robert Craig, Salina, Kans., formerly of this city, to Miss Sarah Sellman, of Salina. Their marriage took place Saturday at the Presbyterian Church in Salina and the ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Jewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig are now at home at 901 E. Lincoln St., Salina. Mr. Craig is employed in a gasoline service station in that city.

ARRANGE SUPPER AS FAREWELL SURPRISE

For the pleasure of Mrs. Cecil Crawford, who is moving from Xenia soon, members of the choir of the Presbyterian Church, of which she is a member, arranged a surprise on her at her home on N. West St., Thursday evening. A covered dish supper was served and a social time with music and games followed the supper.

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Dr. and Mrs. George Davis, E. Main St., returned home Thursday evening after spending ten days in Michigan.

Mr. J. W. Faulkner and Mr. Melvin Swadener, Hill St., are spending this week in Lebanon and are acting as judges at the harness races at the Warren County Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Orbe Lute, S. Miami Ave., are announcing the birth of a son at their home Thursday night.

Mrs. Julia Molitor, 27 California St., is recovering at her home from a minor operation performed several days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Martin, N. Galloway St., will arrive home Friday evening after spending a week in northern Ohio and Michigan. They attended the national convention of the American Legion in Detroit and later visited friends in Cleveland and Akron.

A called meeting of the P.T.A. of Central High School will be held in Jean B. Elwell Auditorium Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Mrs. W. A. Meikle, Cincinnati, formerly of this city, spent Friday here with friends.

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YOUTH IN WOMEN'S CLOTHING SOUGHT: FRIGHTENS CHILDREN

told of seeing the "woman."

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pride of Ohio and New York State Farms, were to leave here today to be presented as a good-will gift to Mustapha Kemal Pasha, President of Turkey.

The dozen consisted of six American pedigree cows, two bulls and four heifers, sent by the cattle breeders of the two states, through the American friends of Turkey.

The herd, valued at \$60,000, is destined for Angora, where it will be used for inter-breeding with Turkish dairy cattle.

also wore rolled down hose and fancy shoes.

Two children, brother and sister,

also reported having been frightened by appearance of the same youth while on their way to the Trebein school Wednesday. They returned home and their parents accompanied them back to school,

but they saw no more of the man.

AMERICAN BEAUTIES FOR TURKISH HAREM

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35c Talcums	39c
35c Mum	26c
\$1.50 Three Flowers Double Compact	\$1.09
Rubber Gloves	33c
35c Pond's Creams	25c
50c Pompeian Vanishing Cream	25c
50c Creme de Meridor Vanishing	25c
30c Creolin Disinfectant	21c
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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

So build we the wall; and all the wall was joined together unto the half thereof: for the people had a mind to work.—Nehemiah, iv, 6.

ENGLAND'S DOLE

The suspension of gold payments in Great Britain followed closely upon the revelation of the country's financial plight through the drastic steps recently taken to balance its budget. Capital took alarm and "flew" from Great Britain as it had done from Germany and France with disastrous consequences to the mark and franc. The pound sterling is governed by the same economic laws. There is no divine sanction in international exchange.

At the bottom of the whole trouble is the dole. Great Britain has been eating up her capital, without replenishing her larder by production. A British peer, visiting America three or four years ago, was asked how long Great Britain could continue the dole without going bankrupt. "About five years," was his answer. The time he set is approaching completion. Great estates have been broken up to pay taxes. Small incomes are now taxed a hundred times as much as in the United States. The country is being bled white to keep men in idleness.

Apologists for the dole assert that it was Great Britain's only alternative to revolution, when, after the war, several million men were demobilized, without immediate employment. Whether or not that is altogether true is no longer worth debating. The dynamic but somewhat superficial Mr. Lloyd George induced his country to take the "easy way" out of an unpleasant situation by revising its unemployment insurance plan to include the dole outright. The easy way sometimes proves the hardest in the end. Great Britain has learned that to its sorrow.

Actually the dole consumes capital without reproducing it. Constructively it accumulates a disinclination on the part of workers to accept employment when it offers; and tends to discourage the countries that employ it from adopting in the beginning remedies that leave no such evil after effects. They are lulled to sleep by the dole, as by an opiate. At the end of their pleasant dream they awaken with the specter of bankruptcy staring them in the face. After the experiences of Great Britain and certain Continental European countries with this palliative, any other nation must be blind indeed that did not take its bitter medicine first, when it is more easily stomached; shun the dole, and devise other means of easing unemployment and providing, as far as possible, against its recurrence.

WHIPPING POST

Lewis L. Fawcett, supreme court justice in New York City, has joined the ranks of those who believe in corporal punishment for brutal crime. "We should have the whipping post and the lash vigorously applied to all gangsters and racketeers," said the judge, speaking directly from the bench the other day. "If we had, they would not come back for a second dose. The records of England, Delaware and Maryland show a decided lack of second offenders."

"Brutalizing and un-Christian!" the sentimentalists and bandit petters will scream. Is it?

In the October number of Scribner's Magazine, one Jack Callahan says he is an ex-convict of varied experience in prisons, talks in a most interesting way about various aspects of penology, old and new, discussing coddling and riots, and their causes, and he says among other things:

"I had no spring bed or comfortable mattress to rest on ten or twenty years back. I slept on a 'shakedown' on the floor with a hundred other lawbreakers, all of whom were chained together by the ankles. Did we riot? No; we never rioted. We were too tired to riot. (They worked hard all day.) But even if we had been disposed to stage a little rebellion, there was THAT strap hanging in the warden's office to give us pause. Only the man who has had the strap can testify to its power as a deterrent. I have had several applications of it, so I ought to know. There never was a riot in a prison where the warden swung the strap. *** The strap did not degrade me. It had the opposite effect. It provoked meditation, and strangled the ambition to become known as the 'hard guy of the big house.' *** I never robbed a bank in Delaware because the whipping post always scared me. *** Restore the strap. Convicts fear the strap. It is not degrading. Babying a full grown man is far more degrading than strapping him."

Mr. Callahan adds the prophecy that there never will be riots in Southern prisons because they use straps in them, and work the convicts hard; and "tired convicts never riot."

These remarks certainly deserve some attention. They come from a person who is, in a manner of speaking, an expert on the subject he discusses; and he ought to know a little more about what he talks of than the subquadrupeds do.

Coming to the theory that the strap or the lash is un-Christian, we advance just one quotation to the contrary. It is this: "And when He had made a whip of small cords, He drove them all out of the temple." Subsequently He said to the racketeers He had flogged and routed: "It is written, My house shall be called a house of prayer, but ye have made it a den of thieves."

That is what the thugs and racketeers are making today of this land that once was a land of liberty, piety and honesty, "a den of thieves." And the method Jesus of Nazareth employed two thousand years ago to correct such a condition, certainly ought to be "Christian" enough to be used today.

EDUCATE THEM

"Merely educate people and you have a set of clever devils." This pearl of wisdom dropped from the lips of Dr. Lucius H. Bugbee, of New York, while talking to the members of the Detroit M. E. conference. The remark is interesting because if it is not mere rhetoric, it is remarkably like a throwback to the good old, half-forgotten doctrine of total depravity. Yet even so, we don't quite get the force of it. Cleverness isn't a matter of education, but natural endowment; and as devils go, there is no reason why an educated one should be a greater nuisance than an ignorant one. Bye and large, ignorance with good intention probably does more harm in the world than malevolence tempered by knowledge.

Somebody suggests that Mayor Walker and Mahatma Gandhi exchange clothes. We have an idea that if they did, the mahatma would look less startling than the Mayor.

If Aime starts setting the Bible to music, what will she do when she gets to the chronological chapters?

Many a time we have put down a book, and as one dean suggests, thought about it a while; wondering why in the world we ever wasted time in reading it.

The problem of determining the specific gravity of the new golf ball is a weighty question.

But the pajamas of today don't look anything like the pajamas of yesterday.

After all, it is pleasant exercise to follow the bargains.

MY NEW YORK

By JAMES ASWELL

NEW YORK.—What few New Yorkers know:

That targets used to train police rookies are marked "CHILD KILLER" in big letters show the figure of a man with a heart for a bullet-hole.

That the feather dealers are cleaning up, due to the new styles, while this and that business languishes as you may know; and that the new styles are the reason.

That when protests over the Asbury Park baby show—on the grounds of long hours in the hot sun for kiddies, etc., etc.—were heard from various sources this year, scores of mothers wrote in urging that the show be held; and that there is no record of any casualties resulting.

That there is no libel law for the State of Virginia, the anti-dueling statute being invoked for that purpose instead.

That St. Paul's Chapel, in Broadway near Fulton St., is the oldest building in the city, having been built in 1714, and that its rear now faces Broadway because it was meant to overlook the North River.

That Rolf Armstrong, the pretty girl cover artist, doesn't do all of his pictures in pastel, as most amateurs suspect, but uses several other mediums.

That the rumor of Ballyhoo's suspension after the current number is without foundation.

That your New York dentist will have to take down his gaudy electric sign advertising the shop—if he has one up; and that from now on the molar morticians will have to get along with the same modest professional card doctors employ, and huge models of false teeth on display must also go.

That there is a marionette theater in Mulberry street, the heart of Little Italy, which packs the house each night with dramatizations of classic poems.

That despite all the crime and gangster talk actual statistics for this year will show New York about what it was a year ago—or ten years ago; and that crime in large cities really rises or falls extraordinarily little from year to year for all the ballyhoo.

That most of the patrons of the dizzily high-hat eating places where the menus are in French, have to ask the waiter to translate—or else take a chance.

That it costs \$2.30 to taxi from midtown New York to Hoboken, but that it costs \$5 to come the other way.

That the best north Italian cooking in New York is to be found in a speakeasy across the street from one of the children's courts.

That hors d'oeuvres, prepared and served in the true Parisian fashion, are only to be found in New York in Swedish restaurants.

That there is a restaurant in Harlem which specializes in ham bones; another sells only pig's feet, while at a third spareribs in some form are to be found on every plate.

That Tommy Hadden, most notorious of all Shanghai artists along the waterfront, lived in the same block of Cherry street which contains the home of Samuel Reid, who designed the American flag.

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GRAB BAG

What submarine sank the Lusitania?

What is the name of the Irish revolutionary society called which participated in the Easter riot of 1916, at Dublin?

What are the straits which separate the Gallipoli peninsula from Asia Minor called?

Correctly Speaking

Verbs in "le" change "le" to "y" before "ing."

Today's Anniversary

On this date, in 1776, Pennsylvania adopted a state constitution.

Today's Horoscope

Persons born on this day are very affectionate and cannot bear cold treatment.

Answers to Foregoing Questions

1. U-39.

2. Sinn Fein.

3. Dardanelles.

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ANXIOUS MOMENTS—



SKEPTICISM EXPRESSED OVER VAGRANCY LAW AIMED AT GANG VIOLENCE

CHARLES P. STEWART

ALBANY, N. Y.—Lynching an occasional bad man seems to me almost better than having a law on a state's statute book that is so susceptible to oppressive use by the police as to require the pledge which I heard Commissioner Edward P. Mulrooney of the New York department give before a legislative committee here the other day—

"Don't be afraid to trust us with this power; we'll not abuse it."

It was in connection with his advocacy of one of the Empire State's anti-crime bills, aimed at the stamping out of gang violence in Manhattan the police commissioner advanced his plea.

The result was a laugh which ruined the measure's chances, and the recollection of it has prevented its adoption as often as it has been resurrected ever since then.

Naturally, no influential citizen ever is arrested as a "vag" in his home town, but plenty of persons are who are no worse than poor and strangers.

Just at the moment, the individual Police Commissioner Mulrooney is after, as he explained to the legislature, is the class of well-dressed crooks with lots of money, but the law will remain long after the emergency is over—and for the police will be extremely convenient.

As for ever repealing it, "Nothing is more difficult," Congressman Fitzgerald of Ohio, for a long time chairman of the house of representatives committee on revision of laws, once told me, "than wiping a statute out, after it has outlived its usefulness and perhaps become a positive menace."

"People who never dreamed of its existence will rise up in its defense the instant they hear of a move to cancel it."

The New York legislature was afraid of its new vagrancy law, too.

All of Acting Mayor Joseph V. McKee's eloquence, all of Commissioner Mulrooney's promises, and the backing of ex-U. S. Attorney General William J. Donovan and John W. Davis, the Democrats' presidential candidate in 1924, who collaborated to make it air-tight, were needed to overcome the legislative codes committee's skepticism

concerning its merits.

However, it probably will be some years (that is, until the purpose for which it originally was passed has been forgotten) before it will begin to be employed as a weapon of real oppression.

First, I talk too much. No, I'm not too talkative, but I mean that I tell things that I shouldn't. I get too confidential, and the first thing I know I've told something that I should have kept to myself.

This fault often leads to the breaking of valuable friendships with both boys and girls. How can I correct it?

Second, I seem to have a streak of jealousy in me. I know it's narrow-minded, that it should be overcome. I resolve to grow away from it. If I think one of my girl friends likes someone better than me, I get jealous. If a boy friend or mine talks to another girl, I get jealous.

"I realize that I've got to overcome both of these faults while I'm young—but how?" CONSTANCE.

Arent we all in your dilemma, Constance?

Sorry I can't advise you to be vaccinated or inoculated against talking too much and getting jealous, Constance. If there was such a treatment I would have been one of the first to take it.

And I'm grieved that I can't tell you how to overcome these undesirable traits while you're young. Because I happen to know, from personal experience, that much older people are still battling against them and have been all their lives.

The only way I know to get the best of these miserable little faults which make us all so much misery is to suppress our tendency to give that confidence that we know we shouldn't; and when jealousy grips us, ignore it. Pat ourselves on the back when we succeed in downing these demons, and if sometimes we don't succeed resolve that we will keep on trying ad infinitum. If try again, you know. Good luck, at first you don't succeed, try, try, my dear!

BILLIE: If the young man did not even acknowledge the gift you sent for his birthday, he must be

There are more horses in Iowa (1,025,000) than in any other state.

ALL of US

By MARSHALL MASLIN

A Page in a Book

Often I Read It

I Am Hungry, It Feeds Me

Once or twice a year I feel a

man dies, he is cast into the

earth, and his wife and child

sorrow over him. If he has neither

wife nor child, then his father and

mother, I suppose; and if he is

quite alone in the world, why, then,

he is cast into the earth, and there

is an end of the matter."

"And do you think that is the

end of a man?"

"There's an end of him, brother

more's the pity."

"Why do you say so?"

"Life is sweet, brother."

"Do you think so?"

"Think so! There's night and

SPORT SNAP SHOTS

FRAMED by Phil

NIGHT FOOTBALL TO MAKE DEBUT AT COX GRIDIRON FRIDAY NIGHT

Scholastic football in Xenia under substitutions in the officials who will make its debut at 8 o'clock Friday night when the referee's whistle sends the Xenia Central High and Washington C. H. football elevens against each other at Cox Athletic Field.

Attracted by the novelty of a night grid contest under artificial playing conditions, a record-breaking throng is expected to witness the fray, including many curious spectators from surrounding cities.

The floodlight installation was completed Thursday by the Dayton Power and Light Co., and the twenty-eight 1,500 watt lamps, mounted on fourteen wooden poles, were illuminated in the evening for the first time.

The lights literally turned night into day at the athletic field and Central High's football squad had an opportunity to hold a light workout, so that the gridders might adjust themselves to the after dark playing conditions.

Anxious to find out how the field looked, brilliantly lighted after dark, many Xenians visited the field, watched the Buccaneers practice and paid compliments to the efficiency of the installation.

It was conservatively estimated about as many people were on hand as ordinarily have turned out in past years to watch an actual scheduled football game here, but this report was unverified. It indicated, however, the attendance at the Xenia-Washington game Friday evening should surpass all previous records.

High school officials found it necessary to make two last-minute

Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Louis	98	53	.649
New York	87	64	.576
Chicago	82	70	.559
Brooklyn	78	73	.517
Pittsburgh	75	77	.493
Philadelphia	65	87	.425
Boston	63	89	.414
CINCINNATI	58	93	.384

Yesterday's Results

Philadelphia 5, Pittsburgh 1. Only game played.

Games Today

St. Louis at Cincinnati. New York at Brooklyn. Philadelphia at Boston. Only games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	106	44	.707
Washington	92	58	.613
New York	90	59	.604
CLEVELAND	76	76	.500
St. Louis	61	89	.407
Detroit	61	91	.401
St. Louis	59	90	.396
Chicago	55	94	.373

Yesterday's Results

Cleveland 6, Detroit 4. Philadelphia 9, Boston 4. Only games played.

Games Today

Boston at Philadelphia. Washington at New York. Chicago at St. Louis. Only games scheduled.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Paul	102	61	.626
Kansas City	87	76	.534
Indianapolis	84	79	.515
COLUMBUS	83	80	.509
Milwaukee	81	83	.494
Minneapolis	79	85	.482
Louisville	72	92	.439
TOLEDO	66	97	.405

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Toledo 8, Indianapolis 6. St. Paul 3, Kansas City 0. Columbus 10-5, Louisville 6-1. Minneapolis 11-2, Milwaukee 9-5.

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Columbus at Indianapolis. Toledo at Louisville. St. Paul at Kansas City. Minneapolis at Milwaukee.

Bowling

One of the two individual records in the Recreation League was broken and the other was equalled Thursday night as the Red Wing Co. bowling team took undisputed leadership of the league by winning two out of three games from the Schmidt Oil Co. shattering a tie that had previously existed.

Rolling games of 230, 201 and 209 for a series of 640, Howard Donley, of the Schmidt quintet, exceeded by twenty pins the former league record for high individual three-game total held by Howard Brice, of the Krippendorf Shoes.

Carl Highley, of the Red Wings, also surpassed the former mark with a series of 634. His total included a single game of 245, equaling the league record for high individual game recently set by Leach, also of Krippendorf.

The match was a close affair, both teams exceeding 900 each of the three games. Schmidt bowlers won the first skirmish, 982 to 940, but the Red Wings squared matters in the second game, 950 to 988, then took the third and deciding brush by a margin of 924 to 912.

The Red Wings totalled 2,814 for the three games as compared with 2,832 for Schmidt Oil Co. The Schmidt total was only thirteen pins shy of the league record. Box score:

Red Wing Co. 189 179 174
Highley 166 245 223
Moore 217 196 180
Pessavento 165 206 181
Ganson 203 124 166

Totals 940 950 924

Schmidt Oil Co. 189 202 178
Donley 230 201 209
Wagner 194 180 160
Muhlenhard 188 185 171
Malavazos 181 170 194

Totals 982 938 914

ANNOUNCE CHANGES IN HOME SCHEDULE

Three changes in the 1931 O. S. and O. H. Home football schedule were announced Thursday by Fred Neff, athletic director.

The scheduled season's opener with the Ohio Deaf school this weekend having been cancelled, the cadets will instead meet Sharonville, near Cincinnati, on the Home gridiron here Saturday at 2:30 p.m.

Bath Twp. High gridders of Osborn will visit the Home for a game next week as originally planned. The contest with the Ohio Deaf school has been re-scheduled for October 10 here and a game at Bradford, O., first planned for Muhlenhard October 10, has been transferred to October 16, an open date on the cadet grid chart.

JUVENILE
BELL—Black Face. A story for the youngest readers.
CHEVALIER—Wandering Monday. The story of Sigrid, a little Norwegian girl.

HILLERY—Box of Daylight. A book of Indian legends.

Fiction
GATES—Girl in the Green Coat. A mystery story.

MORROW—Black Daniel. The love story of Daniel Webster.

PARRISH—Perennial Bachelor. A novel of American life in the rich period from 1850 to the present.

RUSSELL—Lake Front. A novel about Chicago.

WHITE—Hathaway House. Real everyday people are the characters in this romance.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Sept. 25—Early advances of 1 to 7 points in the rail and industrial stocks favorites were wiped out around the noon period today by another sharp and aggressive selling wave. Pressure against the list as a whole did little more than erase the first-hour advances, but a number of the best known stocks, including General Electric and American Tel. and Tel., sold at the year's lowest prices.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

New York stock market quotations received from W. E. Hutton and Co., Mutual Home Bldg., Dayton, at 2:50 p.m. daily:

American Can 76% 79%
Am. Rolling Mill. 14% 14%
Amer. Smelting 22% 26%
Anaconda Copper 16% 16%
Atlantic Ref. 11% 11%
A. T. & T. 136% 139%
Bethlehem Steel 33% 32%
Chesapeake & Ohio 28% 29%
Col. G. and E. 20% 20%
Continental Can 39% 39%
Cont. Oil Del. 6% 6%
Gen. Foods 40% 40%
General Motors 27% 28%
Grigsby-Grunow 3% 2%
Hudson Motors 10% 10%
Kroger 22% 23%
Packard 5% 5%
Prairie Publix 15% 15%
Penn R. R. 33% 33%
Prairie Oil and Gas 8% 7%
Proctor and Gamble 49% 48%
Radio Corp. 14% 14%
Sears-Roebuck 42% 42%
Servel Inc. 4% 4%
Sinclair Oil 6% 6%
Soccor Vacuum 14% 15%
Standard of N. J. 31% 32%
Studebaker 11% 11%
United Aircraft 17% 17%
U. S. Steel 75% 78%
Warner Bros. 6% 7%
Woolworth 55% 54%

Cities Service 7% 8%

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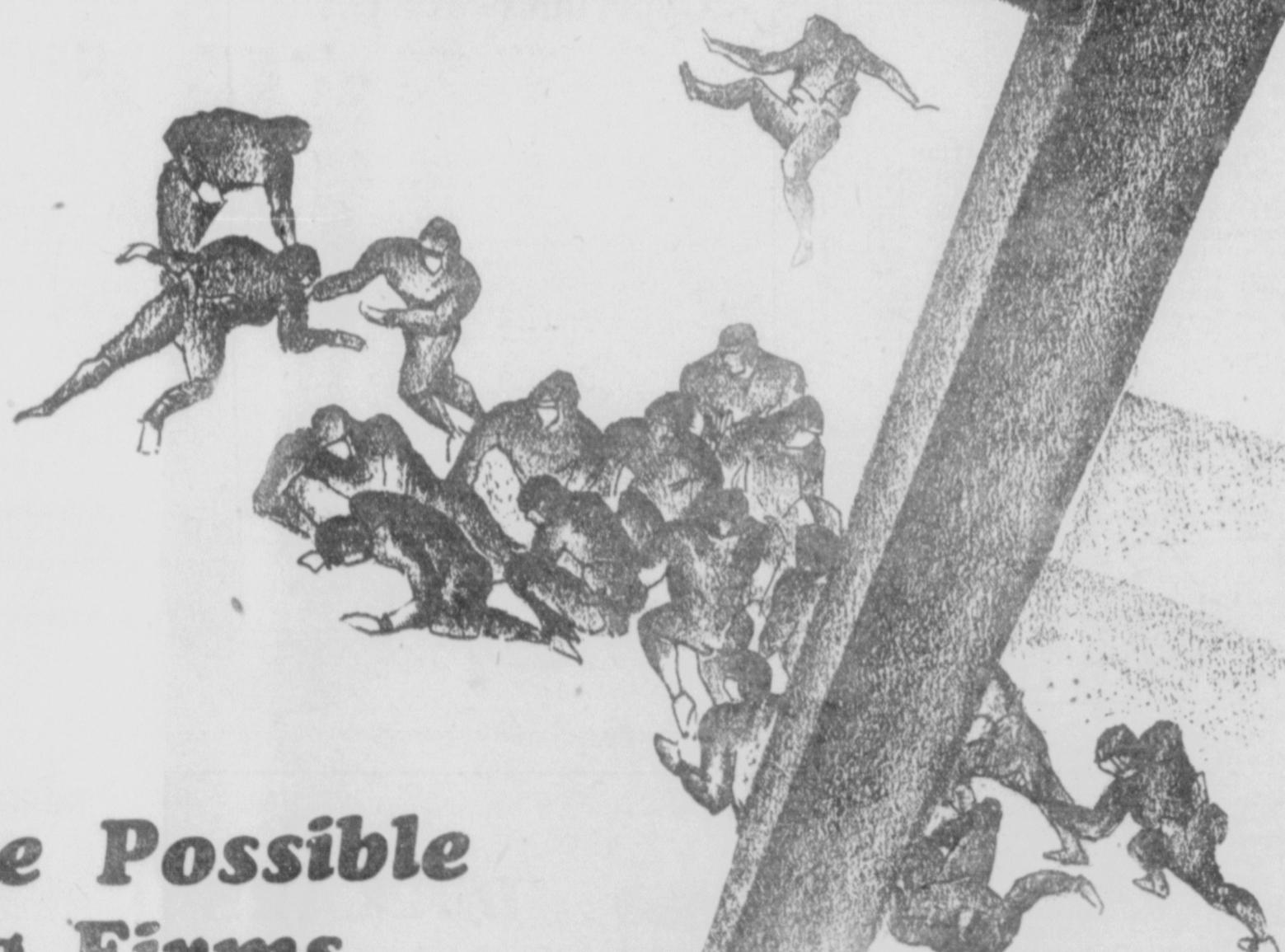
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Announcements for week beginning September 27, 1931.

Sunday morning, 9:30 Bible School. A class and a teacher for everyone. Organized adult and young people's classes. Special attention given to little children. If you are not a member of some other school, try ours.

10:30 worship. Sermon topic: "The Blighting Effect of Unbelief." A special sermon to Christians. The entire Bible school attendants are urged to remain for this message.

Evening, 6:30 B. Y. P. L. Service in charge of the young people of the church. A training school for future leaders.

7:30 Union service at Friends Church with sermon by Rev. Russell Burkett, the retiring pastor.

Wednesday, Sept. 30th, 7:30 p. m. regular mid-week prayer service. Topic for study and discussion, "Oaths—Is It Wrong to Make Them?" The Bible teaching on this important subject will be viewed in the light of the age in which we live.

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Last Sunday in the Lutheran Church year.

9:15 Sunday School. Lesson: "Christianity in Asia." (Matthew 13:24-33.)

10:30 Morning worship. Holy Communion, Sermonette.

Every Member Visitation closes Sunday.

Committee and patrol leaders of Troop 45 Boy Scouts will meet in the S. S. room of the church, Monday at 7:30 p. m.

Rally Day Sunday October 4. First League devotional meeting on that day at 6:15 p. m.

Annual congregational meeting and covered dish supper Monday Oct. 5. All members and those interested in being in the choir are urged to meet at Maxwell's, 111 Stoltz Rd., tonight at 7:30.

In affluence or adversity, God can help you. Attend Church somewhere Sunday.

PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH
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W. H. Tilford, Pastor

Keep up your church interest for your soul's sake. How long since you attended church? How long since have you taken an interest in your soul's welfare? Have the things that you have been doing on Sunday given you the satisfaction that you expected? Try church Sunday. You do not expect to get your stroke perfected in one round, so do not come one Sunday and no more. Come regular and your spiritual life will get better.

9:15 a. m. Sunday school, D. D. Jones, supt.

10:30 a. m. Morning worship an hour of helpful contact with the divine which releases new energy for daily tasks. The chorus choir leads the devotional hymns and presents a special musical number. Sermon, "What doth the Lord Require?" A fair question. It has a fair answer too. Children's object sermon, "Putting a God to Bed." You are invited.

7:30 p. m. Union services. Farewell to Rev. Russell Burkett, Friends Church. When you come to church you are doing a sensible thing. Think about it.

TRINITY M. E.
CHURCH
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E. A. Rager, Pastor

Welcome! To God's house. The only place in which you can receive the necessary elements for a life eternal.

9:15 a. m. Bible School, A. G. Spahr, supt.

10:30 a. m. Morning worship. Theme, "The Unbeaten Path." Special music by the choir.

6:15 p. m. Epworth League.

7:30 p. m. Union service.

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—Psalm 84:1

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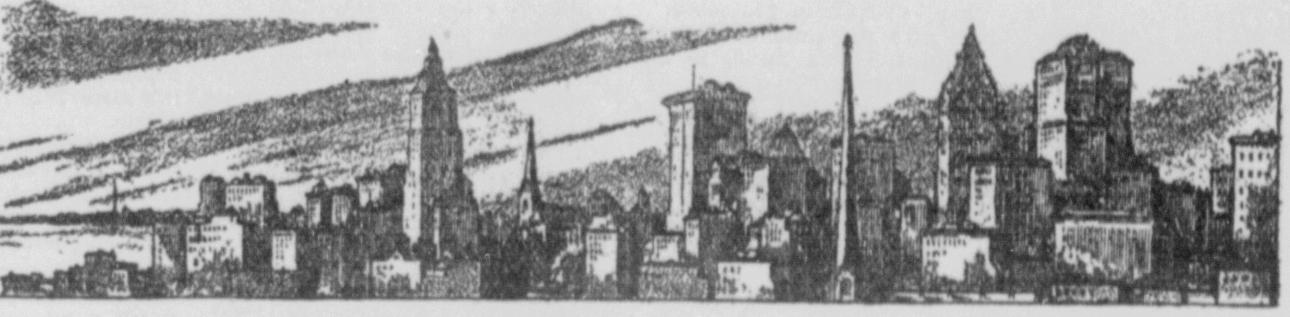
By quiet country road and busy city street its spires point heavenward, ever exalting the hearts of men, ever directing their thoughts toward God.

To Parents

President Hoover recently said: "If we could grapple with the whole child situation for one generation, our public health, our economic efficiency, the whole moral character, sanity and stability of our people would advance three generations in one."

To Strangers

If it is not your habit to go to Church when away from home, going this week will give you a new and interesting experience. Incidentally, to the Church there are no strangers—all here welcome you!



Attend Church Sunday!

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SPENT 71 CENTS TO SAVE 1 at the home of Mrs. Jennie Costenborder Thursday afternoon, Oct. 1. All members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartman of Dayton visited at the home of Mrs. Emma Engle and Mrs. Jeanette Duncan Tuesday afternoon. They report their son, Rev. Ward Hartman has passed through China on his return home.

Mrs. Emma Ketter returned home after a visit with her daughter and family Mrs. Lawrence Coy.

Mrs. Frank Brown met with an accident Wednesday morning by falling down the stairs at her home.

Mr. Raymond Huston fell from a gravel truck and broke his collar bone. He was unconscious but is resting better now.

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22 Situations Wanted

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26 Horses—Cattle—Hogs

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3 FRESH cows with calves by side. Phone 206-R. John Frye.

27 Wanted To Buy

WILL PAY cash for Xenia Bldg. and Loan certificates and book deposits. Address Cash Box 1, Gazette.

28 Miscellaneous for Sale

LONDON Cream Buying Station pays highest prices for cream. 26 E. Market St. Xenia.

29 Houses—Unfurnished

6-ROOM Modern bungalow on North Side, Bath, garage. See Harness, Bales and Thomas, Allen Bldg.

30 Household Goods

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31 Miscellaneous for Rent

45-Acre farm, 1 mile from Cedarville. Charley Clemons, Cedarville, Ohio.

32 Wanted To Rent

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33 Business Opportunities

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34 Savings on Insurance

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By ETHELDA BEDFORD, Author of "DEAR DIARY"

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CHAPTER 46

"BUT YOU DON'T even know my name—" Natalie protested.

"Just give me time," the artist said.

"I'll tell you mine, if that will help matters."

Natalie didn't quite know what to do. She was embarrassed and confused.

"Please!" he said, coming closer.

"You won't refuse to pose for me?"

"Why, I'll pay you—pay you well."

"Pay me—" she repeated.

"Gladly!"

If he paid her then she could buy her own ticket back to New York!

But with the realization that fate had offered her a means of escaping, Alyn escape seemed more than ever undesirable.

She laughed a little nervous laugh. She couldn't decide just what she should do.

"Let's go for ceremony, then," he said, "ceremony for art's sake let's call it."

He held out his hand and half bowed.

"May I present—may I have the honor of presenting myself, only a humble artist, Miss—er—" he raised hopeful eyes to her. "You aren't helping me at all . . . what is your name?"

"Natalie," she answered. "Natalie—but the rest doesn't matter, I guess."

She placed her hand in his paint-stained browned one which was almost as delicately shaped as her own despite its size.

She remembered suddenly that she was not very certain just what her last name was, or, which she should say it was, Dudley or Brady. It all seemed very strange.

She was surprised, however, that she didn't say she was Alyn Brady's wife. Had she had time to think it over, she decided later, she would have said, "I am Mrs. Alyn Brady."

"All right," she agreed, turning toward the dune.

"All right," he answered pleasantly, "will the model please mount the platform?"

"Recess is over for the model, then?" she was walking up the slope.

"And don't forget the pose," he called to her, taking his position before the easel, sitting on a camp stool.

Her mood was so much lighter than it had been before she talked to this knowing person she said:

"I hope I can get that pose, but I doubt it . . ." she said aloud.

She wanted to imprint her features with a smile. She didn't like the idea of having a sad face, on which even a stranger could read her heart.

Natalie thought as she buried her bare toes in the warm sand, climbing up the dune, that Alyn was up by now and wondering what had become of her . . . Then she thought, likely that he did not wonder, or bother to inquire of Marie whether or not she was in her rooms.

A fresh salt breeze brushed her hair from her face. A motor boat came in view and a phonograph played a merry tune which the breeze wafted to her.

Natalie held up her head and gratefully breathed in the sunshine sprinkled air.

"Perhaps Alyn will send me back to New York to Nita as soon as

I go to the house," she thought. "I should really hate to return . . . this is so glorious! Glorious!"

She held her arms high and welcomed the fragrant breeze from the silvery bay, with its sifting of music.

The prospect of immediate departure gave her an almost reckless feeling. A frothy feeling. She wanted to whirl in the breeze, dance madly, sing loudly.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

PUBLIC SALE
HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Probate Court, Greene County, Ohio, in Re: Estate of Elizabeth Simms, Deceased.

Legal Notice Public Sale of Household Goods.

The undersigned will offer for sale, at public auction, at the residence of Elizabeth Simms, Deceased, 125 W. Main Street, Xenia, Ohio, on Saturday, the 26th day of October, 1931, at 1:00 o'clock p.m., personal property belonging to the estate consisting of rugs, dishes, kitchen items, furniture and other household goods.

Sale will commence promptly at 1:00 p.m. and in event of rain will be postponed to the next day.

Terms of Sale Cash.

Earl E. Koogler, Auctioneer.

William S. Rogers, Clerk.

The Theater

Forty-five women sit on the film reviewing committee of the Daughters of the American Revolution Mrs. S. O. Hale informs this department following the district meeting at Cedarville.

These committee members view the picture at the same time, but wait twenty-four hours before they meet to discuss its merits. Each then offers an individual opinion and the consensus of the committee rates the film.

Reviewing reports of other societies are also given circulation

rates the new pictures as follows: "Huckleberry Finn", excellent; "The Big Gamble", good; "Lost Valley", very good; "Merely Mary Ann", very good; "Monkey Business", good; "Mystery Train", good; "Pardon Us", good; "Penrod and Sam", very good; "Sporting Blood", very good; "Sundown Trail", good; the following for mature audiences only: "Bad Girl", excellent; "The Bargain", very good; "The Brat", good; "The Daughter of the Dragon", good; "The Guardsman", excellent; "Is There Justice?", good; "The Homicide Squad", good; "The Public Defender", very good; "The Star Witness", excellent; "Thirteen Men and a Girl", good; "American Tragedy" and "Street Scene" are rated as great pictures but not recommended because of their themes.

The Y. M. C. A. committee recommends "Politics", "The Prodigal", "Alexander Hamilton", "Transatlantic" and "Huckleberry Finn".

Twenty Years
11- Ago - '31

Mr. W. H. Donges, the popular S. Detroit St. druggist, is in the field as a candidate for the school board.

An athletic board composed of James Hawkins, senior; William Gowdy, junior; Frederick Flynn, sophomore, and Hugh Barnes freshman, was appointed at a meeting of the Xenia High School Athletic Association.

Roy L. Haines of the Hoop Road, has returned to his work in the junior year at Stirling, Ohio, Medical College, Columbus.

The Federated club bulletin lists twenty-three pictures suggested for their entertainment and educational value as follows: "An American Tragedy", "Bad Girl", "Die Blonde Nachtmal", "The Brat", "Caught Plastered", "Daughter of the Dragon", "The Dreyfus Case", "For Hennes' Skull", "Guilty Hands", "Huckleberry Finn", "I Am From Siam", "The Immortal Vagabond", "The Magnificent Lie", "Merely Mary Ann", "Nomadie", "Pardon Us", "Silence", "Sporting Blood", "The Star Witness", "Street Scene", "Transatlantic", "The White Devil" and "The Woman Between".

Others recommended in the current issue include "Big Gamble", a Radio Bill Boyd vehicle; "Expensive Women", Dolores Costello starring vehicle for Warners; "Five Star Final", Warner version of the tabloid newspaper stage play; "Hell-Bent For Frisco", "High Stakes", "Honeymoon Lane", "The Last Flight", "Men Are Like That", "The Miracle Woman", "Mother and Son" (in which Clara Kimball Young returns); "On the Road to Singapore", "The Reckless Hour", "The Run Around", "Secrets of a Secretary", "Traveling Husbands", "Young As You Feel".

The Catholic Alumnae committee

FIVE CHURCHES TO CONDUCT SERIES OF SPECIAL SERVICES

"The New Testament Churches" will be the subject of a series of services to be held by a quintet of Xenia churches during the next few months. Churches comprising the group are the First Reformed, Trinity M. E. Presbyterian, First Baptist and First M. E. Churches.

The first service will be Sunday evening, October 4, at the First Reformed Church. The Rev. W. H. Tilford, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, will speak on "Founding of the Churches." Other services to follow are: October 11, Trinity M. E. Church, the Rev. W. W. Foust, of the First Reformed Church, speaker, subject, "Ephesus—the Fallen Church"; October 18, Presbyterian Church, the Rev. E. A. Rager, pastor of Trinity, speaker, subject, "Smyrna—the Faithful Church"; October 25, First Baptist Church, the Rev. W. N. Shank, pastor of the First M. E. Church, speaker, subject, "Pergamos—the Laus Church"; November 1, First M. E. Church, the Rev. J. R. Lunsford, pastor of the First Baptist Church, speaker, subject, "Thyatira—the Corrupted Church."

November 8, Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Mr. Foust, speaker, subject, "Philadelphia—the Mission Church"; November 15, Reformed Church, the Rev. Mr. Shank, speaker, subject, "Sardis—the Dead Church"; November 22, musical service at Trinity M. E. Church; November 29, First Baptist Church, the Rev. Mr. Tilford, speaker, subject, "Laodicea—the Lukewarm Church"; December 6, First M. E. Church, the Rev. Mr. Rager, speaker, subject, "The Modern Church"; December 13, First Reformed Church, the Rev. Mr. Lunsford, speaker, subject, "The Modern Call to Worship."

December 20 and 27 are open dates for the churches to have any type of service they desire. The special union services may be continued after the first of the year if the attendance at the preceding services warrants them.

ASK FORECLOSURE; DIVORCE IS SOUGHT

Suit for \$504.35 and seeking foreclosure of mortgaged property has been filed in Common Pleas Court by the Peoples Building and Savings Co. against Nellie B. Ellis and William Ellis. C. W. Whitmer is attorney for the plaintiff.

SEEKS DIVORCE

Divorce, on grounds of gross neglect of duty, and restoration of her maiden name of Armstrong, are sought in a suit filed in Common Pleas Court by Josephine A. Marshall against Percy Marshall, to whom she was married January 9, 1930. They have no children.

MARRIAGE LICENSES (Applied For)

Harold Jacob Fischer, Osborn, printer, and Dorcas Irene Sanders, Fairfield. Rev. Young. (Granted)

George W. Harner, R. F. D. No. 3, Xenia, farmer, and Oma Lee Rector, R. R. No. 5, Xenia. Rev. W. H. Tilford.

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NOTICE

To Lot Owners, the election of three members to the Board of Directors of Woodland Cemetery Association to succeed H. L. Smith, M. L. Wolf, and J. A. Piper whose terms expire, will be held Monday, October 5th, from 2 to 5 p. m. at the office of the secretary, F. E. Anderson, 15 S. Detroit St.

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BUS COMPANY WILL ABSORB TWO LINES

Authority to purchase two bus lines was given The Xenia-Hillsboro Bus Co. Thursday by the state utilities commission.

The commission authorized the company to buy, for \$1,500, from Lewis C. Wolfe, Wilmington, equipment used in operating a bus route between Xenia and Wilmington, and to purchase, for \$500, from J. V. Hoover, Hillsboro, equipment used on the Wilmington-Hillsboro bus route.

Operations over these routes will be maintained by the Xenia-Hillsboro company.

WEEKLY EVENTS

FRIDAY:

Eagles

SATURDAY:

Market at Fisher's Meat Market, E. Main St., by Blue Ribbon Class, First U. B. Church.

MONDAY:

K. K. K.

S. P. O.

B. P. O. E.

pocahontas.

K. of C.

TUESDAY:

Unit Center.

Kiwans.

Rotary.

Aldoro Chapter.

Lodge No. 52, I. O. O. F.

WEDNESDAY:

Church Prayer Meetings.

Moose.

K. of P. Ivanhoe No. 56.

THURSDAY:

Pride of X. D. of A.

Red Men.

Jr. Order.

GUILD MEMBERSHIP DOES NOT REQUIRE TALENT FOR ACTING

With the 1931-32 membership drive well under way officers of the Xenia Little Theater Guild are emphasizing the fact that it is not necessary for persons to possess dramatic talent if they wish to join the organization.

The opinion has existed that if a person joins the Guild it is necessary that he perform in the plays but it is pointed out that members may display their talents in other lines of work in the Guild, in assisting backstage, with the music, or on various committees such as costuming, engaging properties or in whatever line they so desire.

The Guild's first presentation this year is a comedy, "Adam and Eva", by Guy Bolton, and rehearsals have already started under the direction of Mrs. D. D. Jones. It is planned to present the play the latter part of October. A short meeting of the Guild's executive committee was held at the home of the president, Mrs. James Wilson III, Thursday evening.

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Saturday, Sept. 26, 1931
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BANKERS ATTEND GROUP MEETING

Five of the nine Greene County banks were represented at a meeting of Group No. 1, of the Ohio

Bankers' Association at Hamilton, O. Thursday afternoon and evening.

M. L. Wolf, cashier, and R. D. Akair and George Galloway, directors of the Citizens National Bank, were the only Xenia banking officials present. The Osborn National Bank, Cedarville Exchange Bank, Bowersville Bank and Spring Valley National Bank sent representatives to the meeting.

Mr. Wolf, serving the second year of a three-year term, represents Greene County on the executive committee of the bankers' group.

More than 300 bank officials and employees from Greene, Butler, Montgomery, Clermont, Hamilton, Miami, Preble and Warren counties were in attendance.

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